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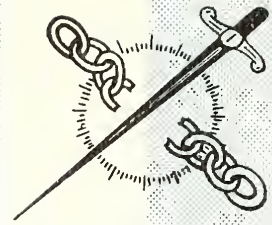


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STATEMENT OF FAITH

WE BELIEVE IN:

The verbal inspiration of the Scriptures.

The only living and true God eternally existing in Three Persons—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

The literal Creation of Man by God; his Fall and Depravity through sin.

The Deity, the Virgin Birth and true humanity of Jesus Christ.

The Substitutionary Blood Atonement of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The literal Resurrection of Christ.

The necessity of the New Birth for every man.

Divine Healing and Health for our physical bodies.

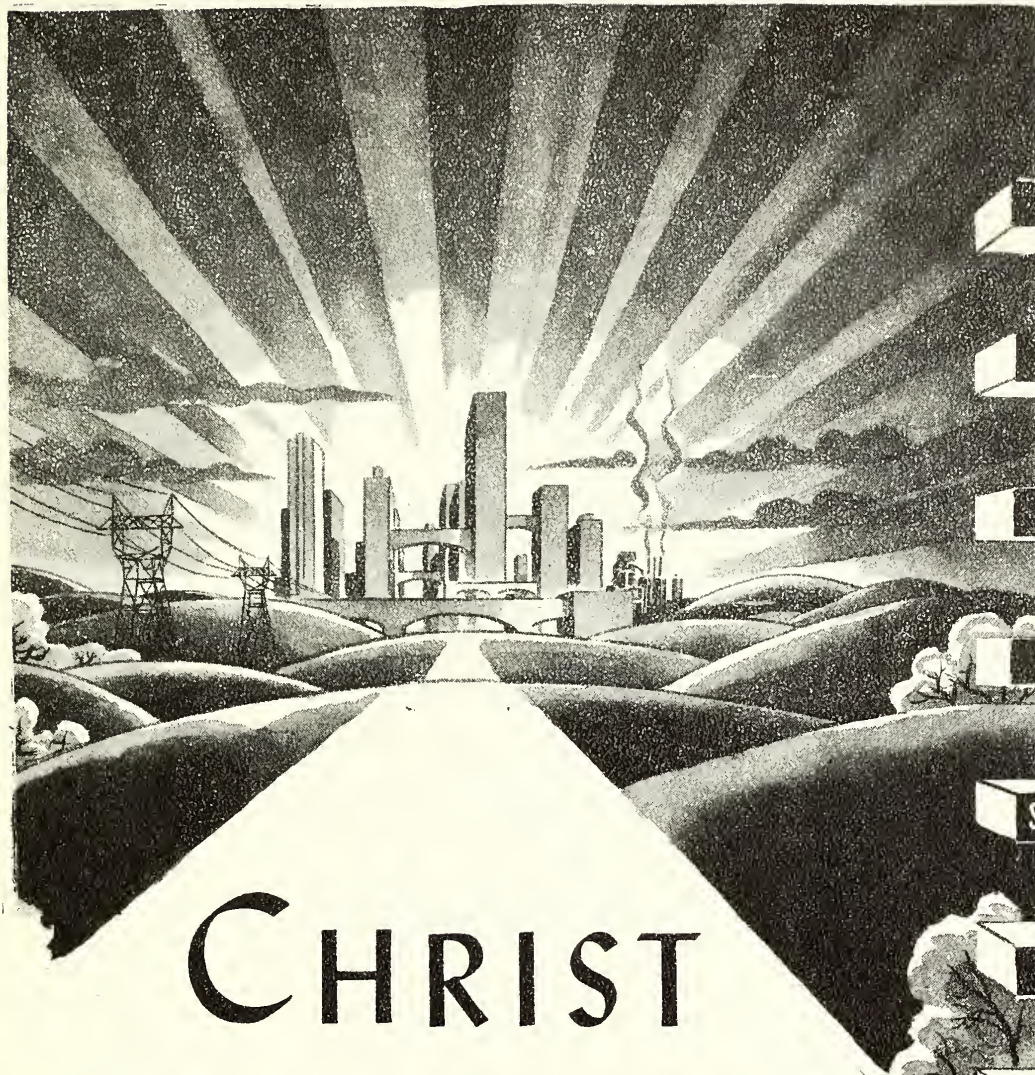
The infilling of the Holy Spirit.

The pre-millennial coming of the Lord and the Resurrection of the Saints.

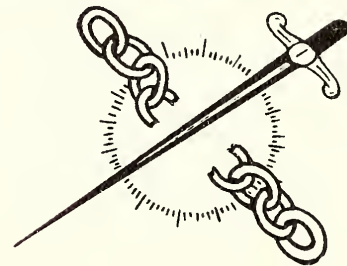
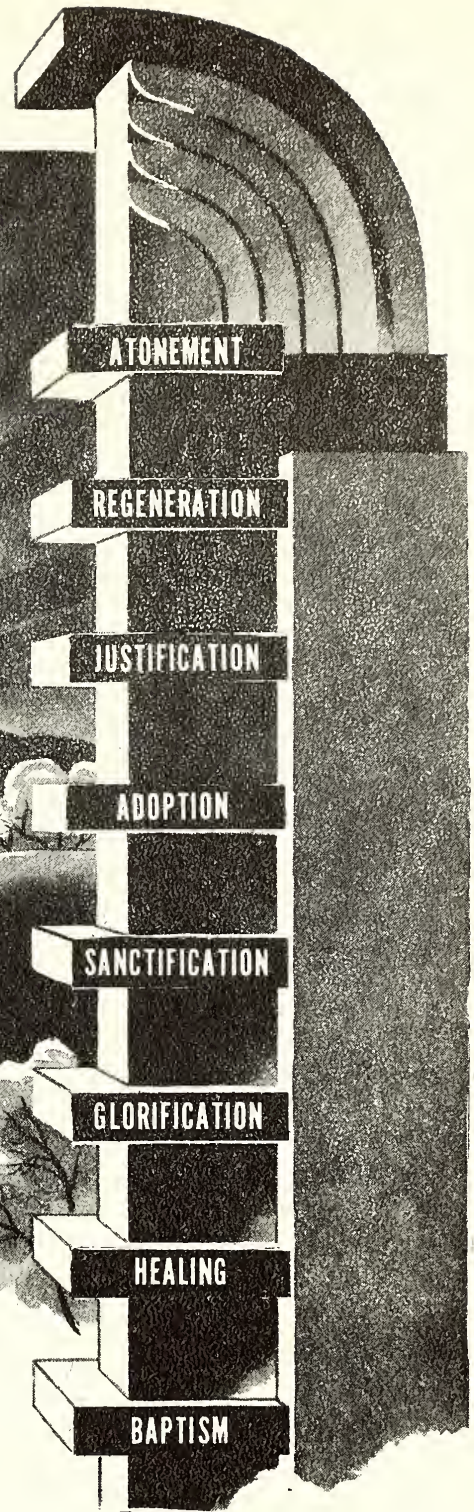
Eternal happiness for the saved and eternal punishment for the unsaved.



THEME:



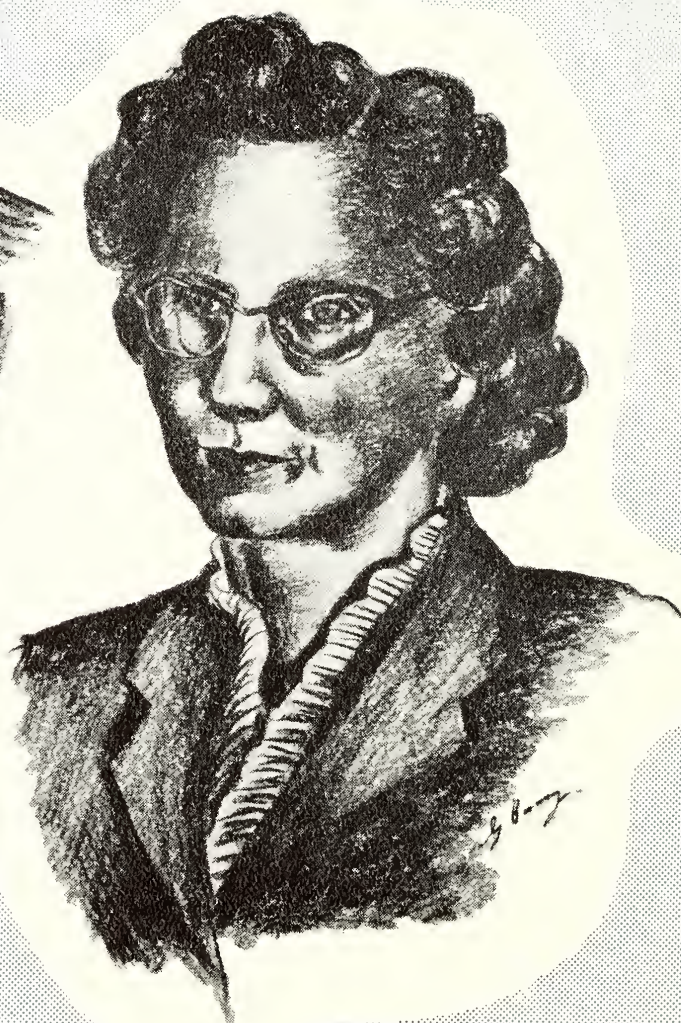
CHRIST
hath set
YOU FREE !



DEDICATION



Rev. & Mrs.
W. H. Found



Dear Bro. & Sis. Found:

To you, whom we have grown to love and appreciate in the Lord; we, the Liberators, affectionately dedicate the 1958 Torch.

We miss you since you left us. But we rejoice in the thought that God is with you.

Sister Found, as you have mingled with the students as our hostess, we have observed a graciousness and a Christlikeness which comes only from constant communion with Him.

Brother Found, as our president, we shall long remember your faithfulness in every way, your sound advice, and your sense of humour.

Your consistent lives have left us a challenge to "press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." We "thank...God upon every remembrance of you."

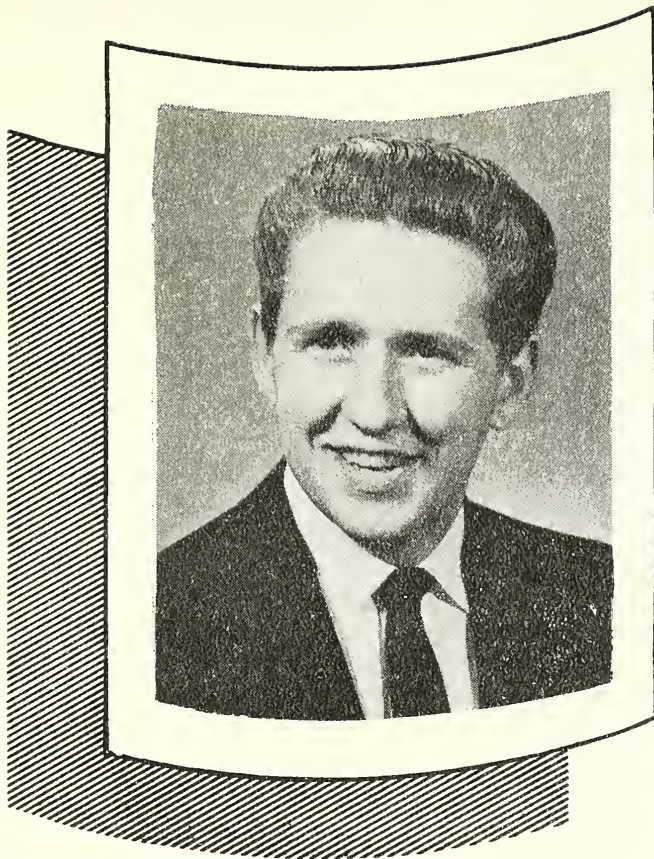
WELCOME !

Mr. Mrs.

C.B. Smith

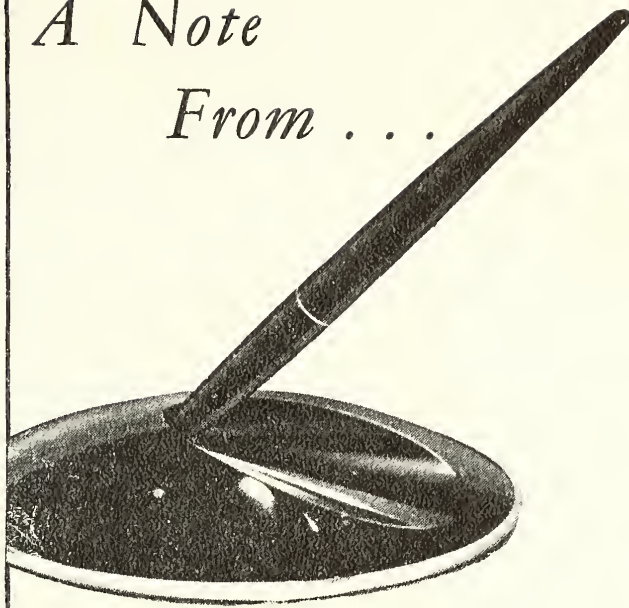


We are very happy to welcome Rev. C.B. Smith as President of E.P.B.C. Rev. Smith is a graduate of Western Bible College, Winnipeg. During the early years of our College, Rev. Smith served as principal from 1940 to 1944 when he was elected to the office of General Superintendent of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada. Following four terms as superintendent he pastored the assembly at Victoria, B.C. His wide experience in pastoral and administrative work fit him for his new position.



A Note

From . . .



The Editor

"These are momentous times." This is an oft repeated statement in the present decade and it is very true. Have you ever considered it seriously? Time and distance have been condensed into a fraction of what they were. Automation has become commonplace. New sources of power, with an infinite potential, have been harnessed. Our mode of living has changed altogether and with this rapid progress of science, tomorrow may completely restyle living once again.

What about the progress of Christianity? Is it keeping pace with the rest of the world, or is it forced to look back on the good old days? The answer is simple. God is behind and over all. Winston Churchill, when he promised the people but blood, sweat, toils, and tears, and then lead Britain to victory, is not the primary figure in that war. Let us remember that the people called on God. God's purposes shall never be thwarted by man's increase in knowledge. Thus the church of Christ goes onward.

The graduating class this year realizes the necessity of a definite anointing of the Spirit to reach the needy world. The prayers of Christians everywhere for this class would be deeply appreciated.

God is moving by His Spirit o'er all the earth. Yes, even in these tremendous days there are signs and wonders showing God's mercy until that great and glorious day when Christ shall come to catch away His church. This old earth, with all of feeble man's works shall pass away, but God's Word shall not pass away. Jesus Christ declared that He would build His church, and not even the authorities of Hell could prevail against it. Praise the Lord!

Don Hopkinson



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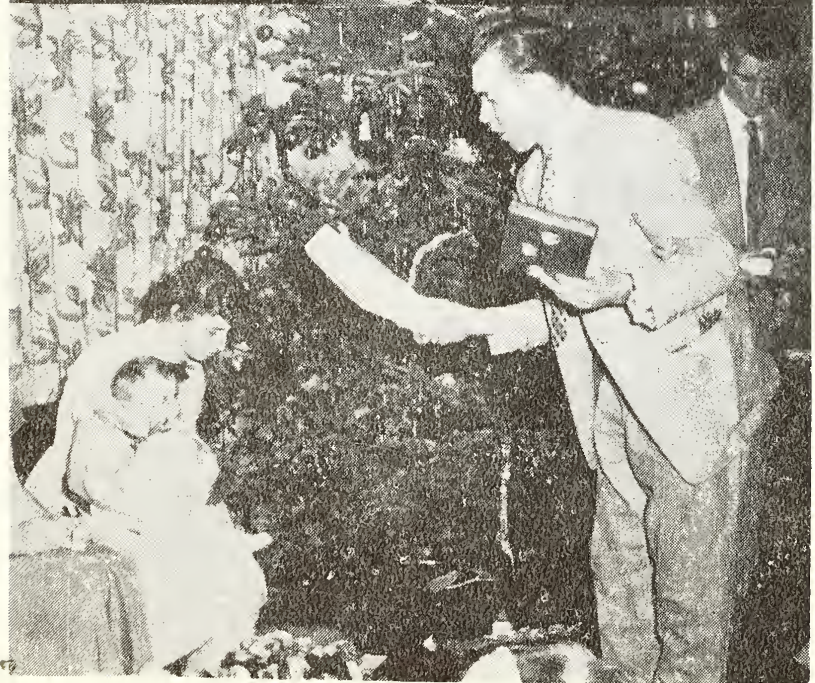
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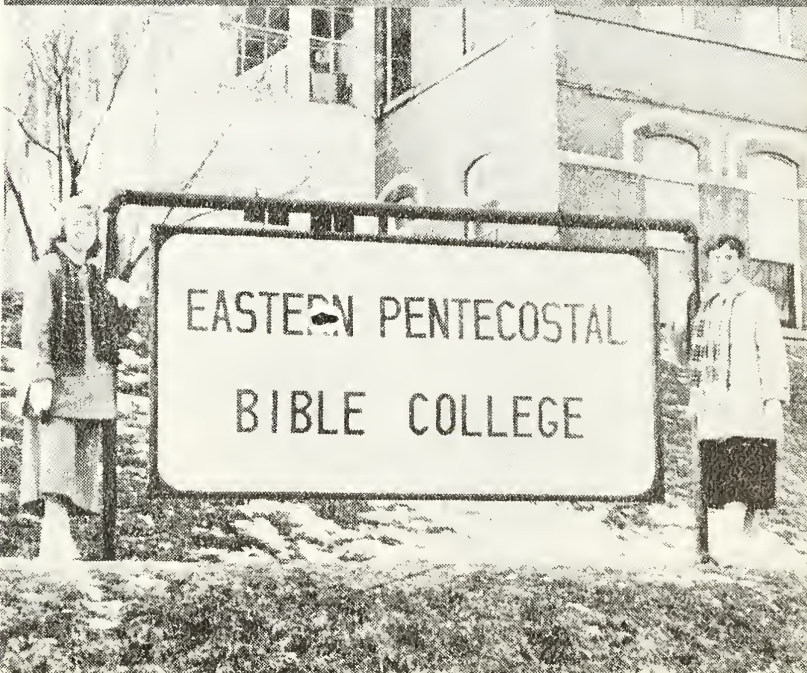
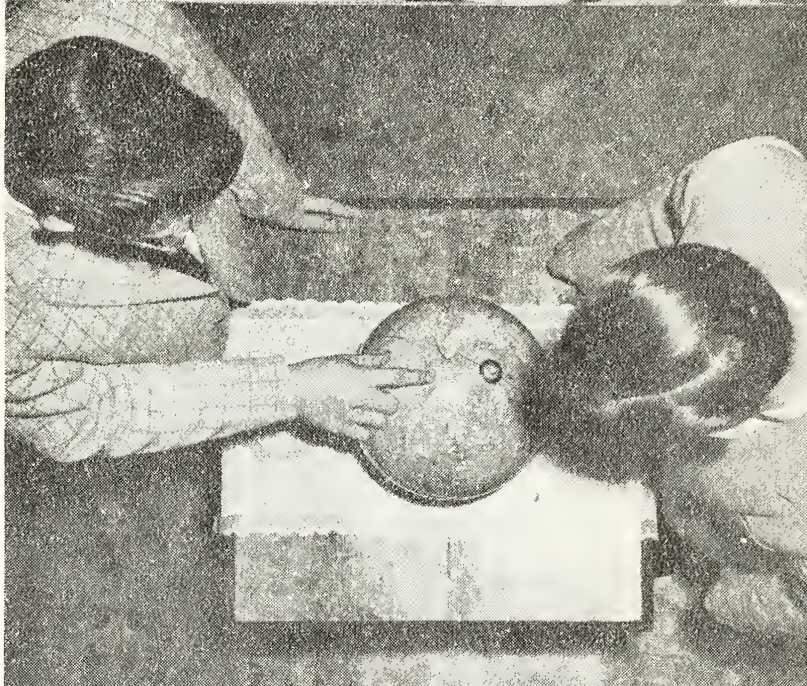
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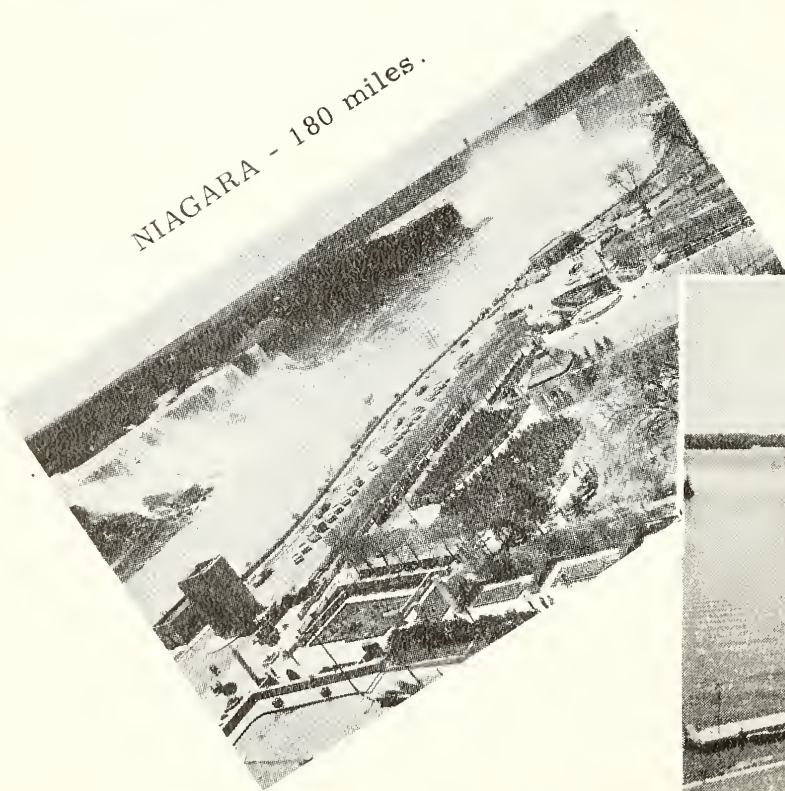
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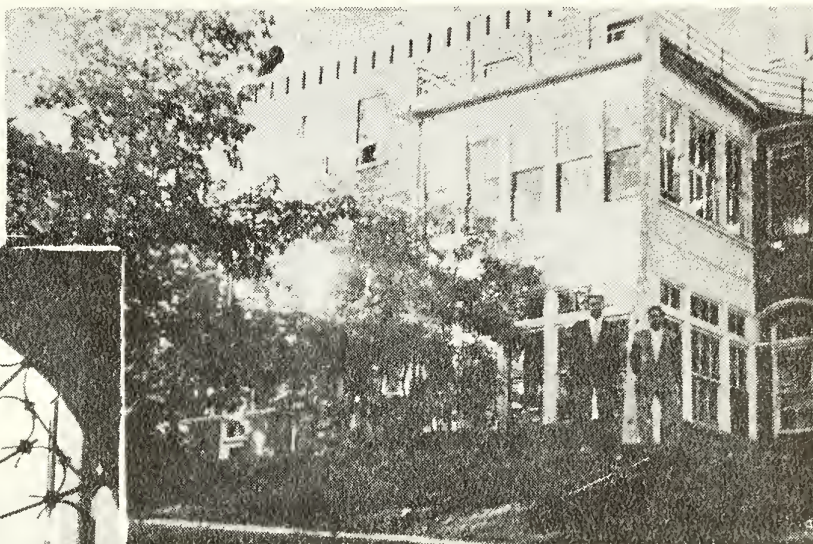


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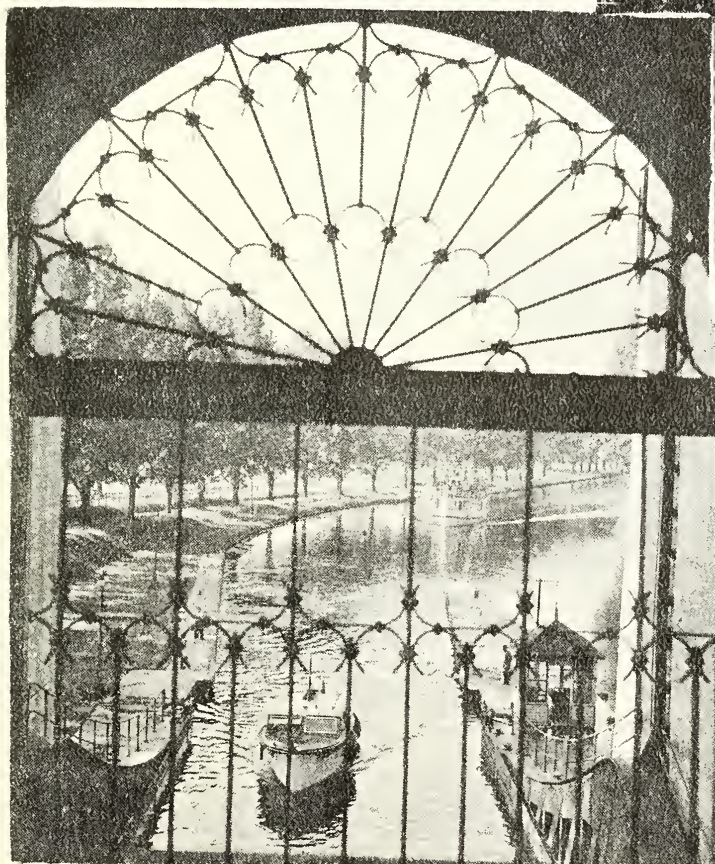


WINTER SETS IN.

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PETERBORO LIFT LOCKS.



the Campus

FACTS & FIGURES

.....In 1939, under the name of Ontario Pentecostal Bible School, a non-residential training centre was opened in Toronto. The school remained there until 1951, when the present campus in Peterboro was purchased and a residential college established. The College represents the Eastern provinces: Ontario, Quebec, the Maritimes and Newfoundland. E.P.B.C. will have completed its seventh year in Peterboro with the graduation of the "Liberators".

.....There have been 1124 students attend the School since its beginning, with approximately 3 out of every 5 of these completing the 3 year course.

.....Eastern Pentecostal Bible College has graduated 646 students in the seventeen years of her existence. Of those graduated, 72% of the men and 44% of the ladies are actively ministering as Pastors, Teachers, Evangelists and Missionaries. Many others are proving their abilities in secular positions. Key positions in P.A.O.C. administrative departments and training colleges are held by Eastern's graduates. Thirty missionaries, serving in 14 foreign countries, and 14 home missionaries in the Canadian Northlands of Yukon, North West Territories, Hudson Bay and Labrador areas are proud to call Eastern Pentecostal Bible College their Alma-Mater.

.....The present property required much renovating when it was purchased. A new heating plant was installed and equipment was rebuilt. With these expenditures, the principle and interest amounted to \$130,000.00. Today a debt of \$33,000.00 remains.

.....The cost of tuition, room and board has been kept low (\$395.00 per year) to make this education possible for everyone. Books for each year average between \$30.00 - \$35.00.

.....The course offered covers Theology, Bible History, Missions, Religious Education, Music, English and Greek. Students attend 23, fifty minute lectures per week. In addition to these scholastic opportunities, a student is afforded much practical ministry in the churches of surrounding districts.

.....God's blessing has rested upon E.P.B.C. through the years and every student who has studied here has left with an indelible knowledge of God and His Word.

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Words of greeting...



REV. W.E. McALISTER

General Superintendent

of the
PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLIES
OF CANADA

Congratulations to the Liberators!

You have chosen a dynamic scripture as your motto, "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me.....to proclaim liberty to the captives." Isa. 61:1.

This Scripture emphasizes the anointing of the Holy Spirit, which is so essential for everyone who is sent forth to do the work of God. It reminds us of the promise of our Lord to His disciples, as recorded in Acts 1:8, "But ye shall receive power after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

It is comforting to know that not only do we need this anointing of the Holy Spirit to be effective in the service of Christ, but we are assured that God will give the Holy Spirit to them that ask Him. Before you go, make sure that you have the anointing.

The prophecy of Isaiah 61:1 was literally fulfilled in the life and earthly ministry of Jesus. In the synagogue at Nazareth He said to the people, "This day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears."

He was the "Sent One". He testified that the Father had sent Him into the world. In His prayer to the Father, as recorded in the 17th chapter of the gospel according to John, Jesus said, "As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world."

Jesus was sent by the Father, and we have been sent by the Son. He was anointed by the Holy Ghost, and so are we. How wonderful, that we should be brought into such intimate fellowship with Christ in His work!

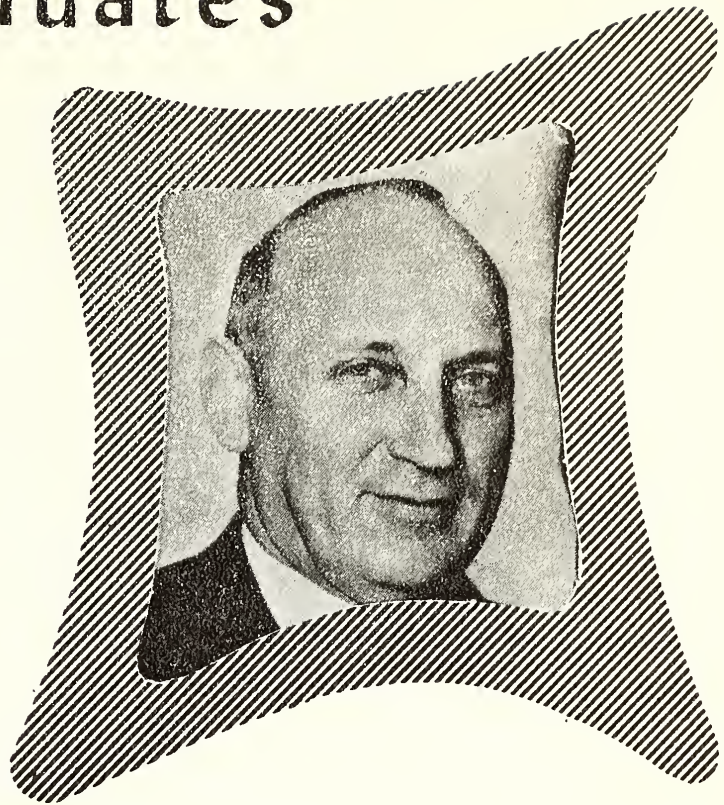
What is His work? To proclaim liberty to the captives. This is your work, and mine. Men have been led captive by the Devil, at his will. We go forth, in the name of Jesus, to set them free.

May God bless you, the Liberators, as you go forth at His command, and may He enable you to finish the work which He has given you to do!

to the graduates

Chairman

of the
E.P.B.C. BOARD
OF DIRECTORS



REV. J.H. BLAIR

To the Liberators:

You have chosen an excellent name for your class; a name that has real Bible significance. Christ's ministry was one of liberating and setting the captives free. He liberated thousands of folk bound by sin and sickness. His purpose in coming to earth was to deliver men bound by fetters of sin.

The Lord wants to carry on to-day by the Spirit through consecrated workers the same ministry that he had. When he left the scene of action, the Holy Ghost was able to carry on through the apostles the same ministry as that of our Lord. May the Lord use your class in a mighty way to bring deliverance to our generation.

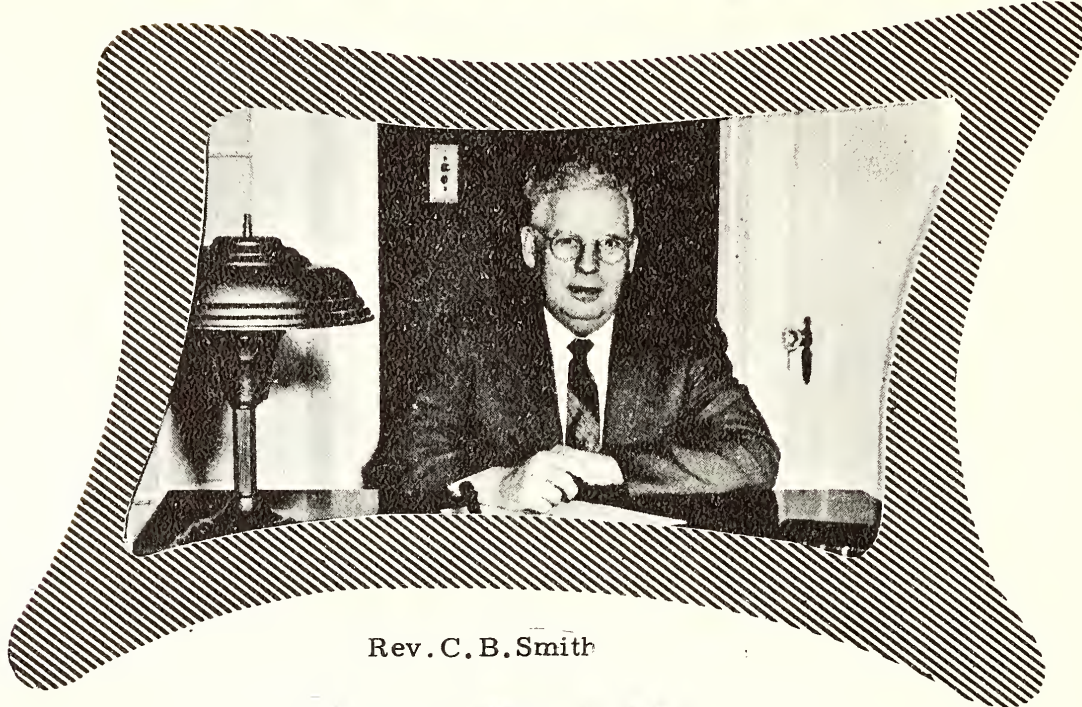
We must first see the plan of God through his word and then make a full consecration to the Lord. God will be able to use you as you become yielded channels in his hand.

I trust that the main desire of your hearts is to be a help to humanity realizing that they are bound by Satan and that God's message is one of deliverance. God anointed the early church with power, "and they went forth, and preached every where, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following."

May the Lord help you catch a vision of bringing humanity a real message of liberation; and may your class name be a means of inspiration to you in the days that lie before you. The Lord said that the fields are white and already to harvest and the labourers are few. This is still true to-day; the fields are white but men and women with a real God-given compassion in their hearts to help humanity are still few.

God bless you; ever remember your name, Liberators.

Words of greeting...



Rev. C. B. Smith

COLLEGE PRESIDENT

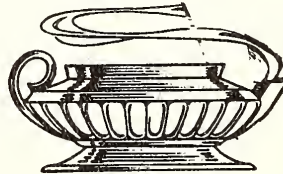
Liberators!! What a name! It suggests action. It is challenging. All those in Israel, who awaited the promised Messiah expected liberation from their enemies. Jesus came to liberate mankind from the oldest and strongest enemy 'sin'.

Christ came in fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy, to emancipate mankind from the bondage of sin. He preached the good tidings; He bound up the broken hearted; He set at liberty the captives and opened the prison doors.

This was all possible because, "The Spirit of the Lord God was upon Him." O my young fellow workers, therein lies the secret - the Spirit's anointing. If you can preach with the Holy Spirit upon you, then, truly you may be hopeful of fulfilling your class name.

Jesus the Great Liberator, purchased this liberty by His vicarious death and glorious resurrection.

He said, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved: but he that believeth not shall be damned. And these signs shall follow them that believe.....and they went forth, and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following."



to the graduates



Rev. C. A. Ratz

COLLEGE DEAN

In the synagogue at Nazareth our Lord and Saviour read from Isaiah's prophecy, - "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because the Lord hath anointed me to preach good tidings - - - to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound - - -," and said, "This day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears."

Mankind is in captivity, bound by sin and in the bondage of death. Christ alone can bring liberty and that because of Who He is and what He has accomplished at the cross. He has purchased liberty through His atoning sacrifice, and by the might of His resurrection. He has redeemed man from the curse of a broken law, and has destroyed him that had the power of death. Thus He has delivered them "who through fear of death were all their life time subject to bondage." Christ alone has the authority to liberate fully and completely. He became dead and is alive for evermore. He has the keys of hell and death. He is the great Emancipator possessing the keys of authority.

Paul wrote the Magna Charta of Christian liberty to the Galatians. Through Christ alone is liberty to be found and in His triumph do we stand free indeed.

Man cannot liberate captives from sin, disease and death. Nevertheless, anointed by the Spirit of the Lord, the servants of God to-day as well as yesterday, can preach the good tidings proclaiming the liberty that was purchased for all people by Christ.

Liberators! A well chosen name with meaning of tremendous significance. As you go forth in this troubled world fettered by sin and death, covet the anointing of the Spirit of God and proclaim His victory. He has called you into partnership with Himself. Faithful in His service you will witness His liberating power freeing captives from sin and disease. It is your responsibility to make His truth known. They who know the truth shall be made free. "Whom the Son sets free is free indeed." Be faithful in prayer, in life, and in the proclamation of His liberating power and God will do the work.



FACULTY

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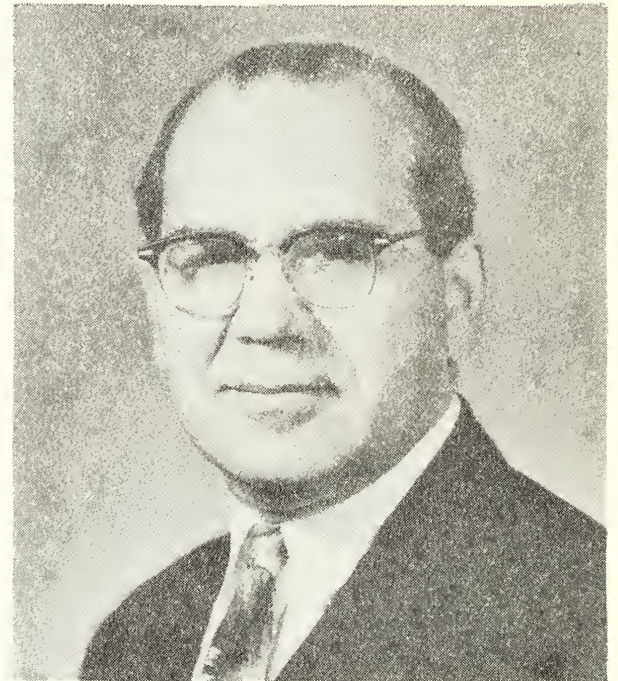
PRESIDENT

Pastoral Epistles
Pastoral Theology

Rev. C.A. Ratl B.Th.

DEAN

Systematic Theology
Hebrews
Torch Advisor



Rev. N.E. Schlarbaum

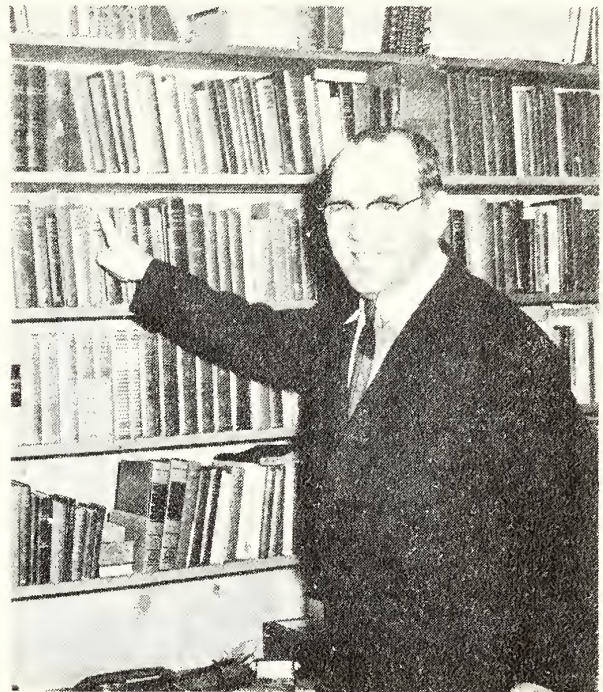
DEAN OF MEN

Personal Evangelism
Missions
Dispensations
Catholic Epistles



We feel that we are highly privileged to have Brother Smith as our president because he is a man of integrity and experience.

An author as well as a lover of books, Brother Ratz has a sound theological knowledge and unique teaching ministry.



Being zealous and always ready to help both in and out of the classroom has caused our dean of men to be held in high esteem.

FACULTY

Mrs. Atter

DEAN OF WOMEN

Religious Education
Etiquette

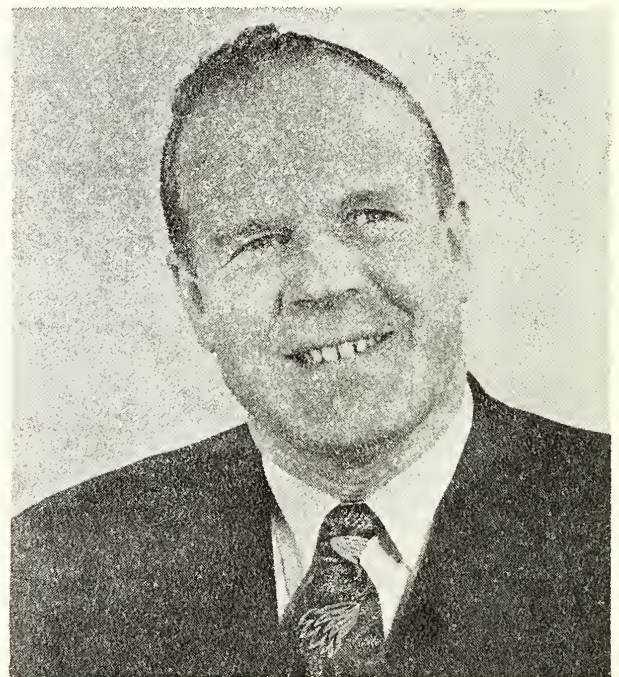


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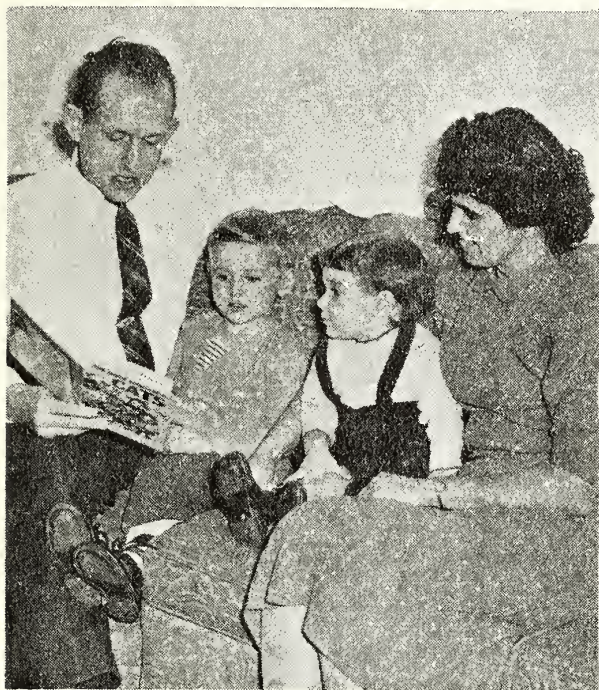
Church History
Pauline Epistles
Life of Paul

Rev. G.B. Griffin

Old Testament
Old Testament and
New Testament Introduction
Student Council Advisor



This year the college has been blessed by the presence and teaching of such an able dean of women as Sister Atter.



Appreciated because of his straightforward positive teaching, Brother Bronsdon is seen here enjoying the fellowship of his family.

Through many years of study and experience Brother Griffin is a man who knows and lives the Bible.





FACULTY

Rev. G.F. Atter

Prophecy
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Assignment Committee Advisor

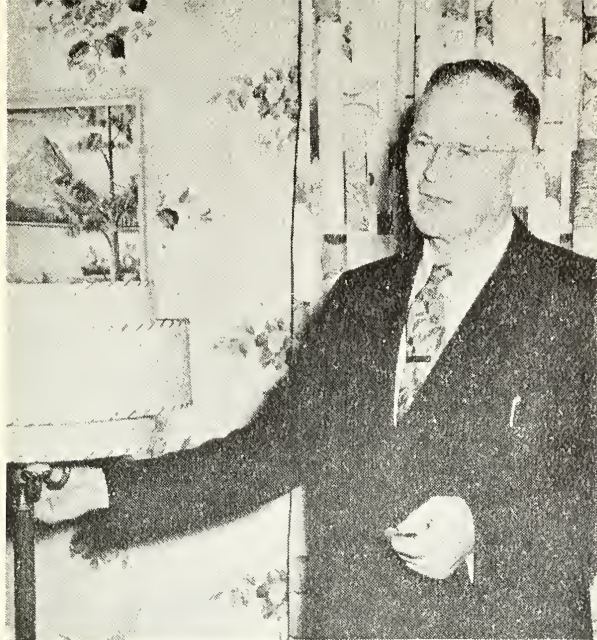
Mrs. C.B. Smith

Student Choir



Miss G. Kulbeck B.A.

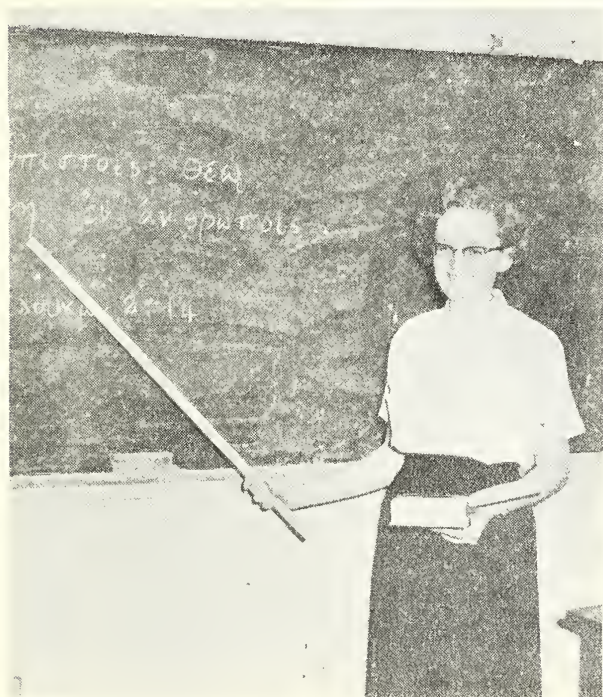
Music
Greek
English



Brother Atter with his up-to-date understanding of Bible prophecy and vast knowledge of other scriptural truths is admired and loved by all.



Shown here taking a moment out for relaxation, Sister Smith has inspired us by her ministry and choral leadership.



Characterized by her sincerity and deep knowledge of the subject, Sister Kulbeck is a capable and indispensable teacher.



STAFF

Miss E. Hann

Secretary



Mrs. C. Ratz

Hostess





Mrs. Miller
COOK.



Mrs. Gaebel
ASST. COOK.



Mrs. Kidd
ASST.



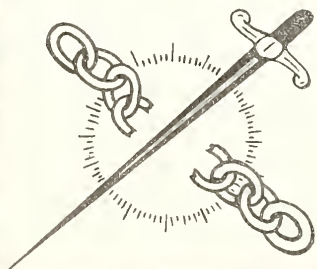
Mr. M. McLane
MAINTENANCE.





Thy righteousness is like the great mountain,...O Lord.

Psa. 36:6



GRADUATES

Liberators



The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me
to proclaim liberty to the captives.

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Student Council Members



J. Weller - President



Tom Eastridge
Cal Morgan
Earl Young
(Vice-President)
Dan Poirier

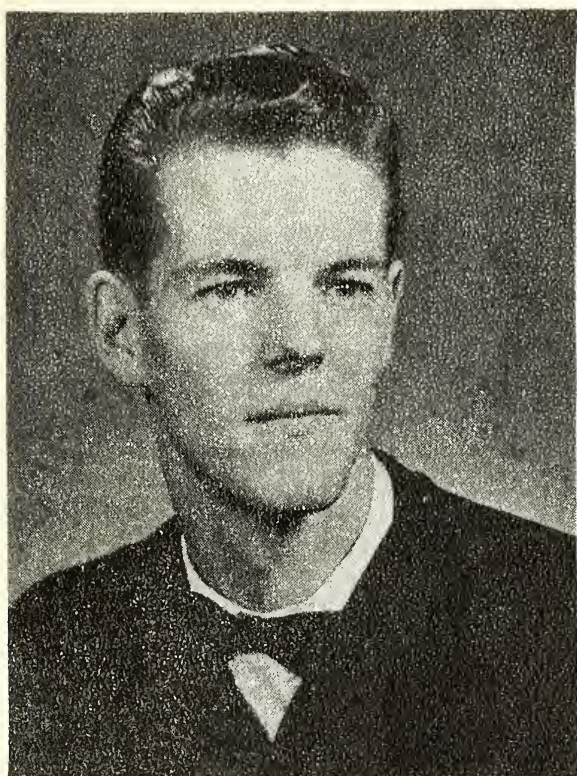
IN RETROSPECT... By THE VALEDICTORIAN.

At approximately 698 B.C. the Prophet Isaiah penned the words we find in Isaiah 61:1 which spoke prophetically of the Lord Jesus Christ. Then in Luke 4, approximately 725 years later, Jesus stood up in the Synagogue in His home town of Nazareth and read this exact verse proclaiming its fulfillment in Himself. Now in this Twentieth Century, we, the Liberators of '58 are privileged to stand as representatives of the Great Liberator and proclaim "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon us for the Lord hath anointed us to preach good tidings unto the meek; He hath sent us to bind up the broken-hearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and the opening of the prison to them that are bound."

The past three years spent in Bible College has been a time invested in eternity. We are filled with gratitude to God for the opportunity we have had of growing to know Him better through the teaching of Spirit-anointed teachers. We appreciate immensely their contribution in the moulding of our lives as instruments in God's hands. Our studies have centered upon the Word of God. The Bible has as its theme, Jesus - the Son of God, and as we have studied we have observed Him - the Mighty Liberator!

In our first year we began with the Pentateuch, where we have the promise of a Deliverer and from there we proceeded through the Old Testament, seeing how Jehovah brought freedom to His chosen people Israel and gave the continued promise of the Messiah.

Then in our second year we studied the Gospels where we have pictured the Person and work of the Liberating Christ as He wrought deliverance for both soul and body. Also in our second year we studied the Pauline Epistles where the Apostle Paul gave the inspired interpretation of Calvary, its meaning, its extent and the liberty it brought.



Earl Young

LIVELY, ONT.

*Valedictorian -
Vice-President
of Student Council.*

"One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to enquire in His temple." Psa. 27:4.

It is with praise and adoration to Jesus Christ that I say I am saved, baptized in the Holy Spirit and headed for a city whose Builder and Maker is God.

Jesus has done much for me. He saved me at a very early age, and His Spirit filled my soul when I was eighteen years old.

Since coming to E.P.B.C., I have learned to appreciate, in a greater way, God's Love, God's Word and the precious moving of God's Spirit.

It is wonderful to trust in Jesus and His vicarious work on Calvary, especially in the light of present day events and His imminent return. To know Him in a greater way is my desire.



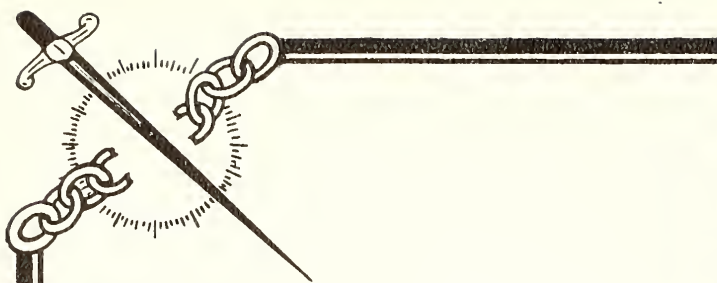
Earl has been a great asset to our class. He has been very active, being a member of the social committee, assignment committee and Vice-President of the Student Council.

Earl appreciates the truths of God's Word and enjoys the anointing of the Holy Spirit. His friendly smile, zeal for God and deep consecration has caused every student to admire his inspiring example.

To know Christ and to make Him known is Earl's supreme goal in life.



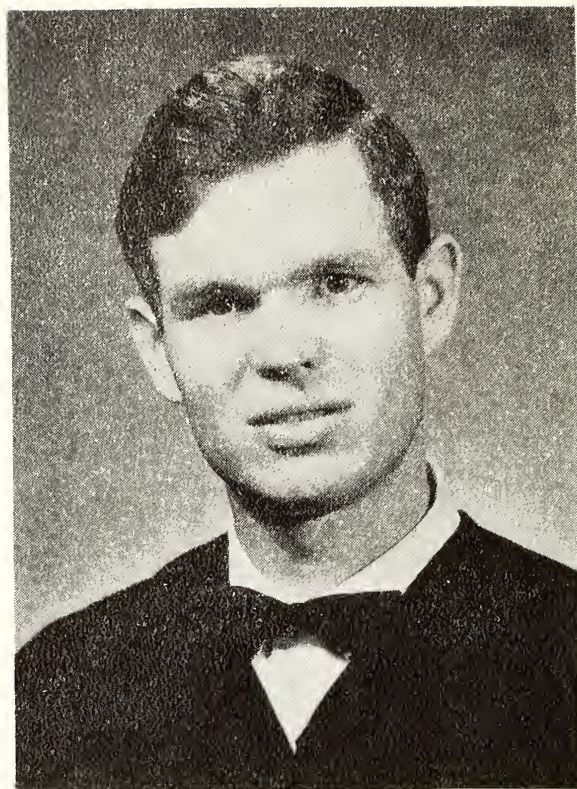
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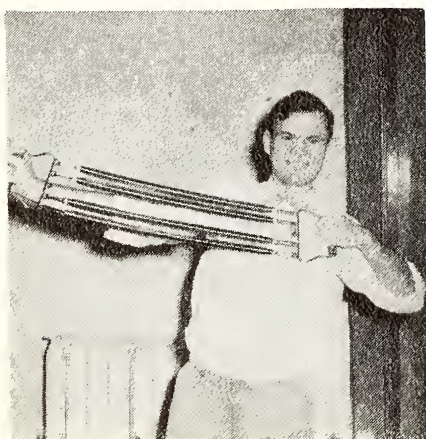


"And Jesus said unto them, come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men." Mark 1:17.

I was born on the other side of the "Iron Curtain" and during World War II, I went to Germany. While there through the reading of God's word, I accepted Jesus Christ as my personal Saviour.

In 1949, I left Germany and came to Canada as an immigrant. After I arrived in Toronto I joined an evangelical church and through the leading of God and the light of His word, I received the Pentecostal experience.

A year later I felt the call of God upon my life and He led me to E.P.B.C. to study His word. My desire after graduating is to work for God and see souls born into the Kingdom of God.

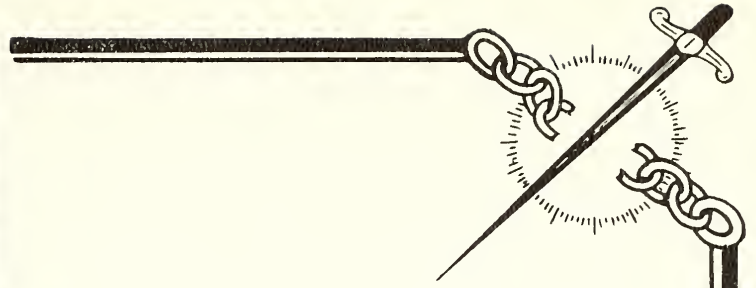
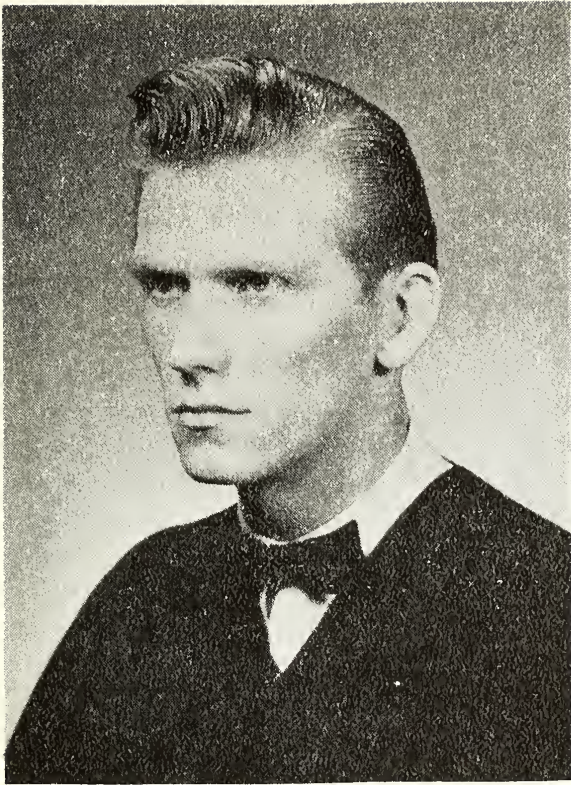


Although Peter has been handicapped in his studies due to his limited knowledge of the English language, he has done admirably well. We feel proud to have a convert from behind the "Iron Curtain" graduating with us as a "Liberator" for Christ.

As Enoch of old, Peter walks with God. His consecration and prayer life has been praised by all the students.

Peter, as you graduate and go forth in Jesus' name, may his power ever strengthen you as you labour in the harvest field of God's choosing.

The Spirit of the Lord • • •



David Bursey

BOTWOOD, NFLD.

"He that goeth forth and weepeth,
bearing precious seed, shall doubt-
less come again with rejoicing,
bringing his sheaves with him.

Psalm 126:6.

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It was while attending high school that Jesus saved me and called me into the ministry. I came to Bible School to equip myself for the task that is ahead and while attending here, He filled me with the Holy Spirit. Praise His name! I am not sorry to have taken this step in life, for what more could a man ask than to work for Him, the true and the living God. I desire nothing more in life than to work for Him and do His will, knowing that when I stand before His throne I will have been presented faultless by Christ Jesus, the One who loved me and gave Himself for me.

My prayer is "Give me, O Lord, the assistance of thy Spirit, may I truly know Thee, love Thee, so that I may be able to tell others of Salvation and in so doing I will have sheaves to lay at Thy feet."



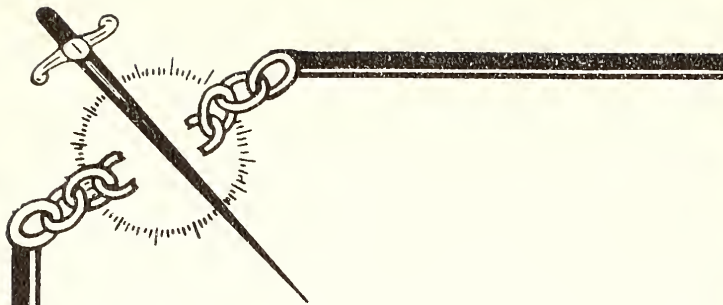
While at E.P.B.C., "Dave" has used his talents vocally and instrumentally for the honour and glory of our Lord.

He has a pleasing personality and is always ready to help and be friendly to all.

Our sincere prayer is that God will constantly be with you and bless you Dave as you labour for God in the whitened harvest fields.

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Mary Caskey

WOODSTOCK, ONT.

Social Convener -

Graduation Speaker

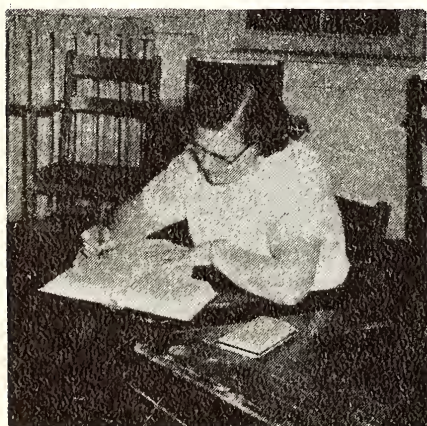
"For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth. Rom. 1:16.



The Lord has been gracious to me. I was born and raised in a Christian home. Through the teaching and prayers of godly Sunday School teachers, I learned to appreciate God's Word and to realize my sinful condition. Thus, at the age of ten I accepted Christ as my Saviour and four years later was filled with the Spirit.

During my last few years of High School one question loomed up in my mind, "What next?" Bible School seemed an impossibility. In those months of uncertainty, I learned to commit my way unto the Lord, trust also in Him and He has brought it to pass.

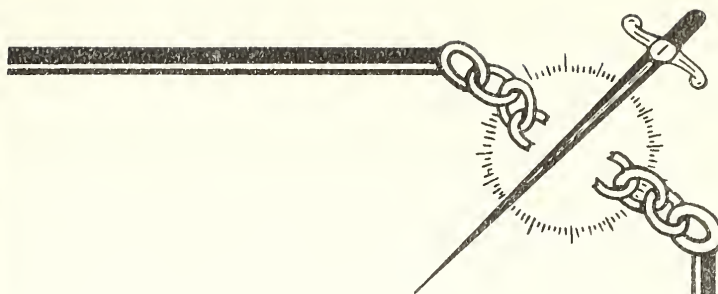
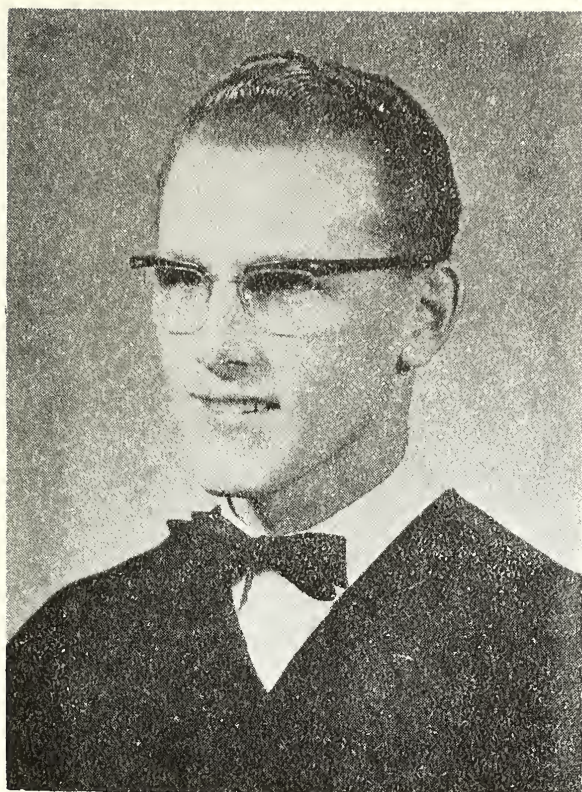
In these past three years, God's Word has been made real to me. It has been food for my hungry soul. As I leave E.P.B.C. it is with this prayer "Not my will but Thine be done."



Mary has been a faithful Liberator. All have enjoyed her quiet spiritual influence which has been characterized by faithfulness and diligence. She has been kept busy during her stay at E.P.B.C. as Social Convener and as the Liberators' representative on the staff of the school newspaper, the Illuminator.

Mary has been secretary of the Home and Jewish Prayer Band and has given her cheerful testimony in song on assignments. May God bless her as she goes forth in His service.

because the Lord . . .



John Charter

OIL SPRINGS, ONT.

Baccalaureate Speaker

"Behold, I send an angel before thee
in the way, to bring thee into the
place which I have prepared."

Exodus 23:20.

Regardless of the task, preparation is always the key to success. The past three years at E.P.B.C. have been the most important in the preparation for my life's task.

Since early childhood I have felt the presence of God several times. Salvation is a wonderful experience and the Pentecostal fulness a reality which I will never doubt. I will never regret the day when I said to the Lord "Not my will but thine be done." Opportunity knocked for me in the secular realm but I knew that the favour and blessing of God is only upon those who do His will.

To be graduating with the Liberators is a privilege. We are not Liberators in our own strength but in the power of the great Liberator, who chose us and ordained us to go forth with the message of deliverance to those in need.

It is my desire to serve God in these closing hours of time in the place of His choice.

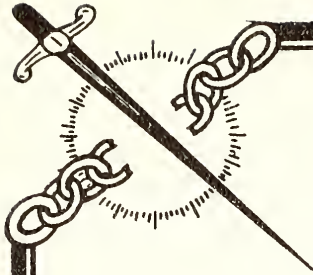


Coming to Canada from England in 1952, John entered E.P.B.C. in the fall of 1955.

A quiet but friendly manner, and a cheerful smile are a few of his outstanding characteristics. He has taken an active part in school activities, the Student Council, singing, song-leading and preaching. We admire his sincere devotion to God. Our prayer is that God will richly bless his life and ministry.



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Inez De'Athe

SIDNEY, MAN.



"That I may know him, and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being made conformable unto his death."

Phil. 3:10.

Words utterly fail to express my gratitude to God for His patient dealing with me before I was saved. What peace and joy followed when Christ came into my heart! A month later, He baptized me with the Holy Spirit. From that time onward, there was a consciousness that God has a definite plan for my life. My aim in life is that this might be fulfilled.

It has been a real joy to attend E.P.B.C. during the last three years. I am indebted to those who so faithfully have ministered the Word of God for this has greatly enriched my spiritual life.

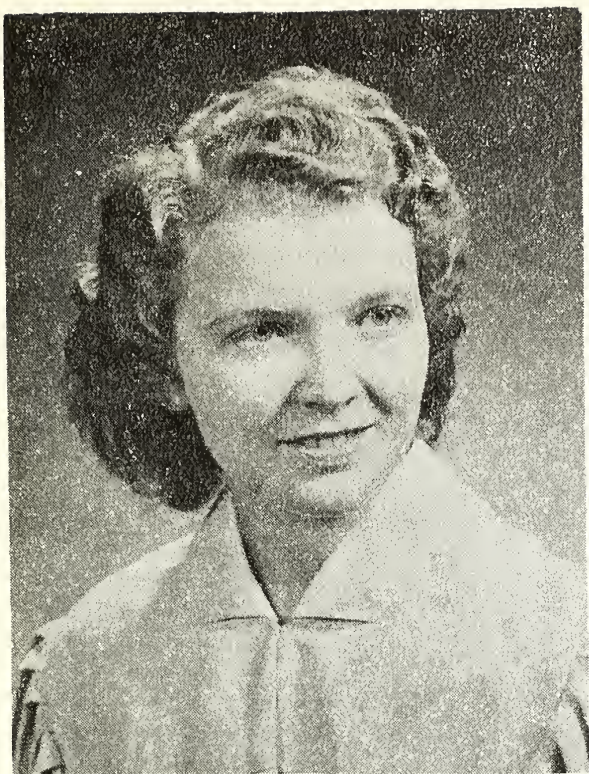
My highest aim and goal in life is to be a true and sincere Christian, sharing with others the One who is able "to save to the uttermost."



Inez comes to us from the West. It has been a pleasure to have her as a fellow classmate, with her quiet and witty manner. She has taken an active part in school activities.

Inez's earnest desire is to serve the Lord, and have the beauty of Christ seen in her. Our prayer is that the Lord will richly bless her as she goes forth to minister the truth.

to preach good tidings • • •



Mary Deacoff

TORONTO, ONT.

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose." Rom. 8:28.

I praise and thank my God for the privilege that was mine to have been raised in a Christian home. I accepted Christ as my Saviour when I was a small child, but it was not until my teens that I fully surrendered my life to Christ. He filled me with His Holy Spirit at the age of thirteen which has since been a source of power in my life. Isaiah said in chapter fifty-eight, verse eleven: "The Lord shall guide thee continually and satisfy thy soul in drought." The Lord has guided me to Bible College, where, for the last three years, the Study of His Word, and Christian fellowship has meant more to me than words can express. He has taught me to trust completely in Him. The words of this chorus mean much to me as I leave College to serve Him where He would have me:

"Christ is the answer, to all my longings
Christ is the answer, He's all I need,
Saviour, Baptizer, the Great Physician,
Oh Hallelujah, He's all I need."



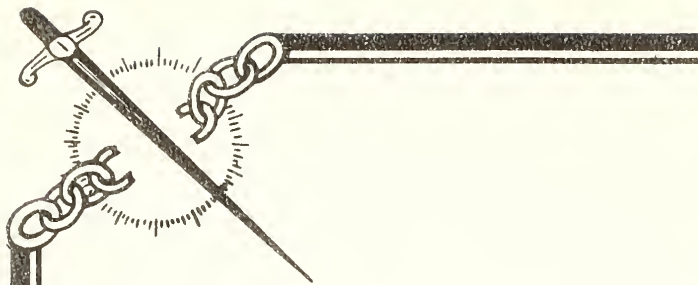
Mary's cheerful smile, winning personality and understanding nature has won her many friends at E.P.B.C.

During the past three years, Mary has served as an efficient member of the "Torch" Staff.

As she faces the future, we as a class, pray that God's hand will rest mightily upon her life, and that her portion will be the blessing of God upon everything she attempts for the Master.

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Thomas Eastridge

BLUFF CITY, TENN.

Prayer Band Convener

"And the world passeth away and the lust thereof: but He that doeth the will of God abideth for ever."

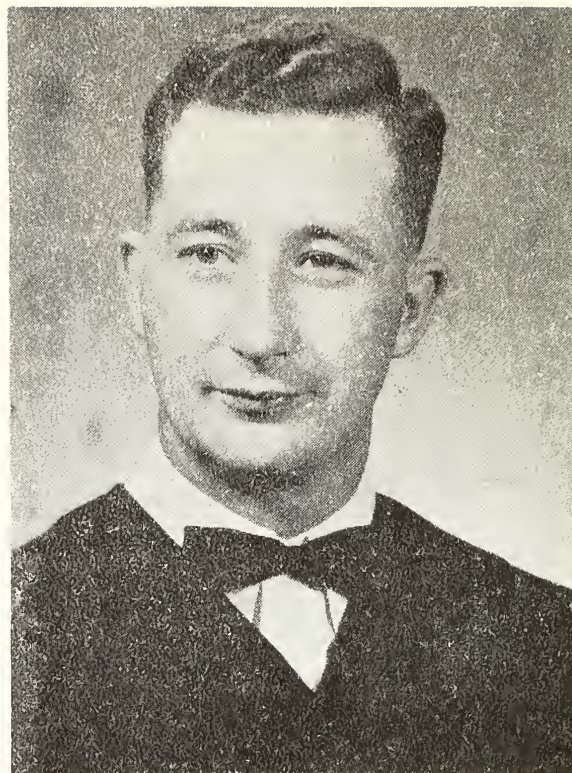
I John 2:17.

On October 8, 1947 while attending a cottage prayer meeting in Virginia I was born again by the Spirit of God. Since that time God has been very real unto me.

My experiences have been many. The first church I was ever in was a Pentecostal church and I hope the last one will be. I started Sunday School in a Methodist church and was baptized by a Baptist minister (who has since turned Pentecostal).

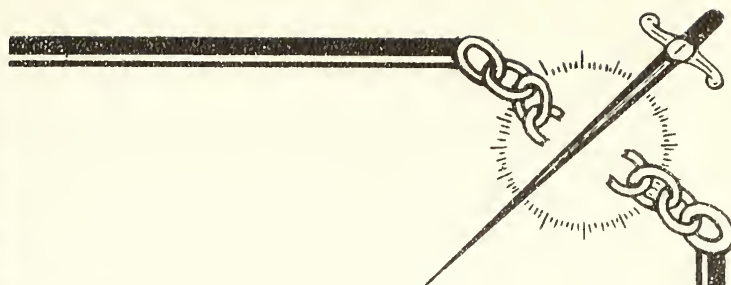
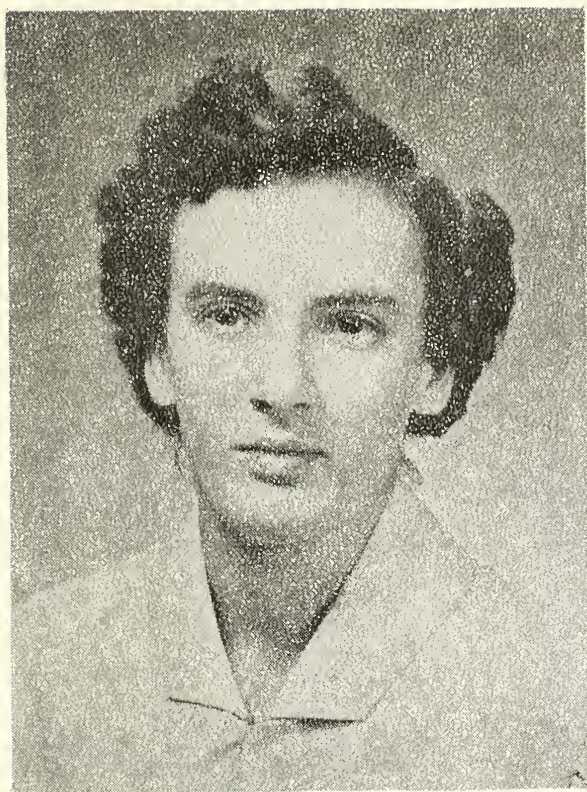
While serving with the American Air Force in Newfoundland I heard about E.P.B.C. and upon returning to the States I sent in my application. After being here for three years I can only say the Lord is Wonderful.

I humbly bow my head and thank God for the freedom we have in North America and for the opportunity He has given me to study His Word.



The past three years would not have been complete without Tom in the Liberators class. His quiet and cheerful manner has been enjoyed by all of us. The consecrated life he has lived before us and his challenging testimony, has been an inspiration to every student. Many times we were brought into the presence of God as he prayed from his heart. We will not forget you Tom as you go forth as a Liberator for God.

He hath sent me to . . .



Dorothy Etherington

DUNNVILLE, ONT.

"Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my Strength and my Redeemer." Psalm 19:14.

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I can truly say I have never regretted the day I entered the doors of E.P.B.C. It has been a wonderful privilege to be able to behold Christ exalted in all His majesty and glory, as the Word portrays Him, as it is quickened by the Spirit.

The desire of my heart is, that I might be an empty, clean vessel in His hands; that he might take, fill, and make it a blessing to other hearts and lives.

With my hand in His, I know I can face the future, confident that, "He that hath begun a good work will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ."

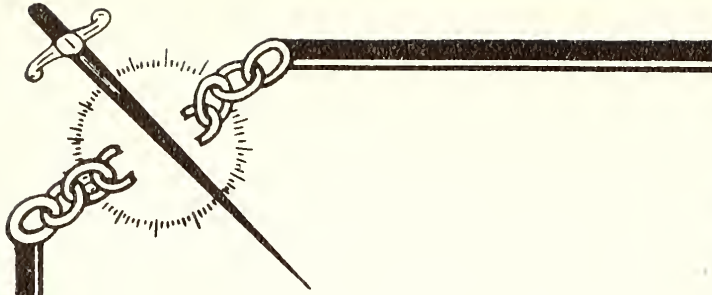


The Liberator class will always remember Dorothy with her friendly disposition and pleasant personality. She has been a fine student of the Word and in academic studies, stood first among the girls of our class. In her final year, Dorothy served as the assistant Business Manager of the Torch and has been of great value in that position.

Dorothy, as you leave E.P.B.C., may God's anointing rest upon you as you serve our Master.



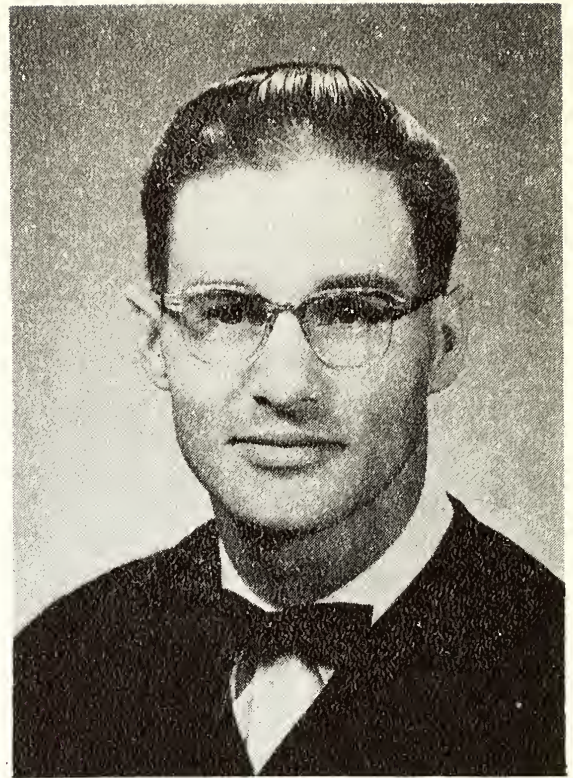
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George Fenwick

NIAGARA FALLS, ONT.



"Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits: Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; Who healeth all thy diseases; Who redeemeth thy life from destruction."

Psalm 103:2-4a.

When I was a small child I had a touch of infantile paralysis. I believe that it was only through the prayers of people who knew God that I was healed completely.

At a very early age I realized that I was a sinner and needed Jesus Christ as my Saviour. All have sinned and only Jesus Christ can give eternal life. There is healing of the physical body and also a healing for the soul.

God also has a will and a purpose for each life. He has laid upon my heart the desire to go forth to tell others of salvation from sin and of God's love for them. My purpose in life is to do God's will.

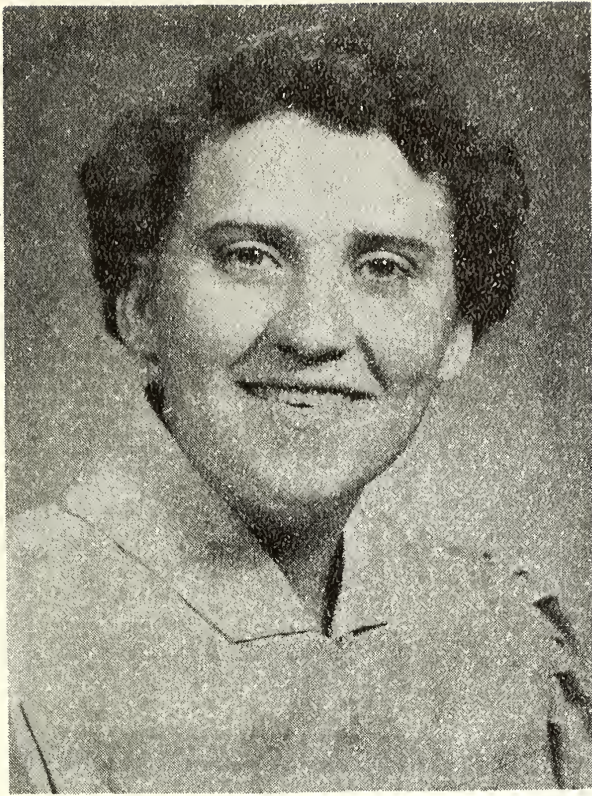
My desire is to see men repent of their sins and to accept Christ as their Saviour.



George's quiet manner and unique sense of humour, along with his athletic ability has added greatly to the class of Liberators. His earnest desire to serve God has also been a blessing.

With the future in the Master's care, we trust God will direct and empower you George, and use you as a Liberator of souls.

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Betty Freeman

WAYNE, MICH.

"But my God shall supply all your needs according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

Phil. 4:19.

"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it." This is truly the foundation of my Christian experience. My gracious mother always made sure I was in Sunday School, and it was there that I first felt a tug at my heart and realized I needed a Saviour. On Nov. 7th, 1951, a faithful Sunday School teacher took me to church and there my eyes were opened and my joy was made full as I accepted Jesus Christ as my Saviour. From that very moment, I felt God's call upon my life and I knew that God wanted me to go and labour in his vineyard.

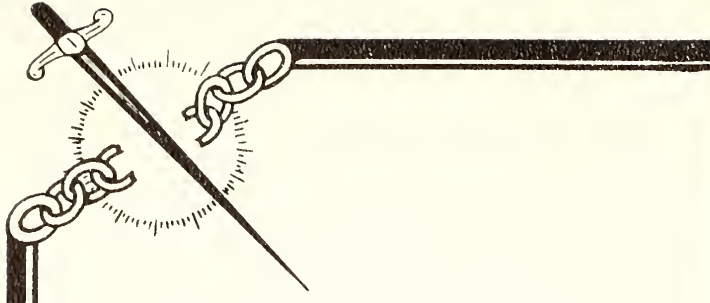
Following my graduation from high school, I came to Eastern Pentecostal Bible College. I know God's hand is upon me for He has kept me and is continually leading me deeper and higher in Himself.



Betty has been a real asset to our college with her artistic ability, and has taken part in various activities such as Bible Clubs, Torch staff, and Social Committee. She will be long remembered because of her generous nature and cheerful disposition. Our prayer is that God will mightily use her in whatever field of service she may labour.



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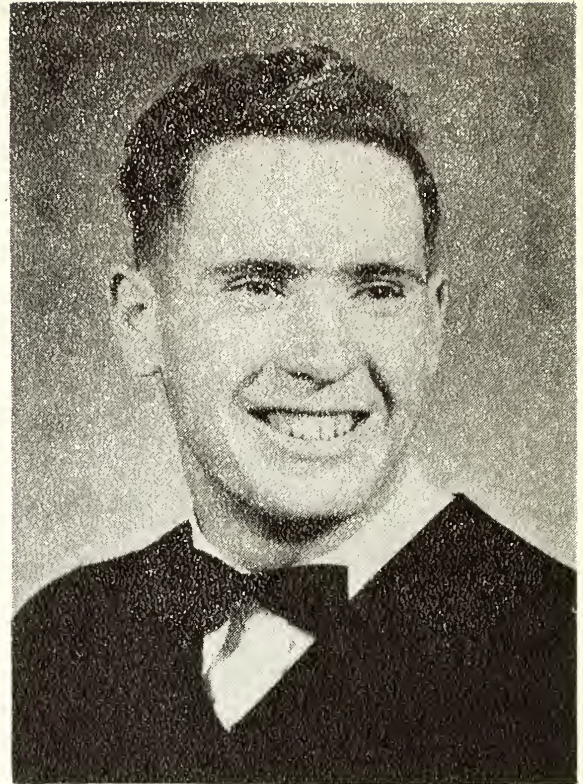
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Arthur Gallagher

NORWOOD, ONT.

"For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor power, shall be able to separate us from the love of God,"

Rom. 8:38, 39.



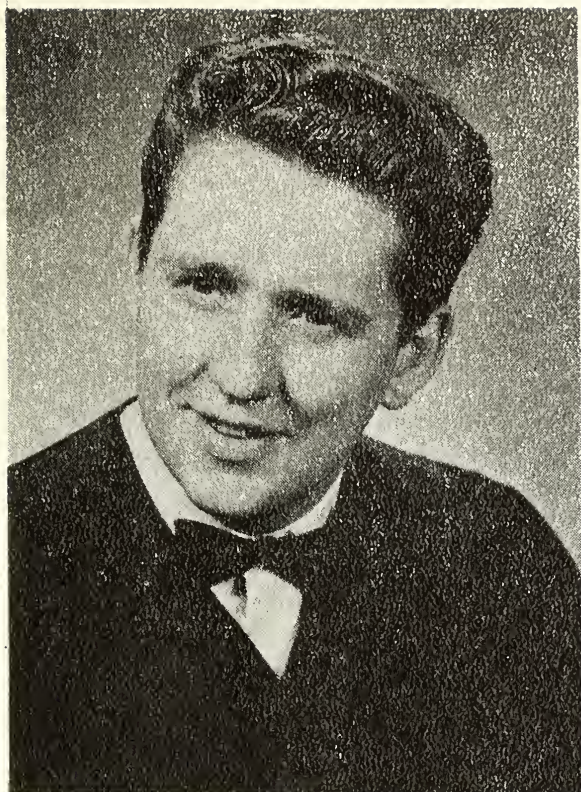
I am grateful to the Lord for the day that He saved my soul. I was filled with the Spirit in the month of February in the year of 1948. About four years ago I felt the Lord's hand laid on my life, calling me into His harvest field. I then yielded to the will of God. Since then I have spent three of the happiest years of my life in E.P.B.C. Now, as I look back over this period of training in my life and see how God has led me, I know that as I venture forth on the authority of God's Word that He will go before me.



Art's jovial manner coupled with his sincerity and zeal for God has made him a popular member of the "Liberators" class. A hard worker, always willing to help, has made Art a great friend of all the students. This past year Art has been active in preaching the Gospel on assignments.

May the Lord strengthen and guide you, Art, in your future sphere of service.

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Donald Hopkinson

EDMONTON, ALTA.

Torch Editor

"Faithful is He that calls you, who also will accomplish it."

R. V. I Thess. 5:24.

God is good. He has given me a Christian home, where, as early as I can remember, the truths of God were taught to me and I came "to know Him, Whom to know is life eternal." It was also in this stage of my life where I received the wonderful infilling of the Holy Spirit according to Acts 2:4.

Again I was reminded of his goodness in time of need as I graduated from high school and faced the world. I felt led to attend E.P.B.C., having had a consciousness of God's call to the ministry since my youth. It was not, however, until I was inside the doors of this very college that I felt sure this step was in God's plan for me. The past three years have slipped by quickly but they have been glorious years. It has been a privilege to study the unsearchable riches of the true and living God. David testified in his later years that in all his life he had never seen the righteous forsaken nor his seed begging bread. I wouldn't change my peace of heart and joy for all the world's riches and fame. For what shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?

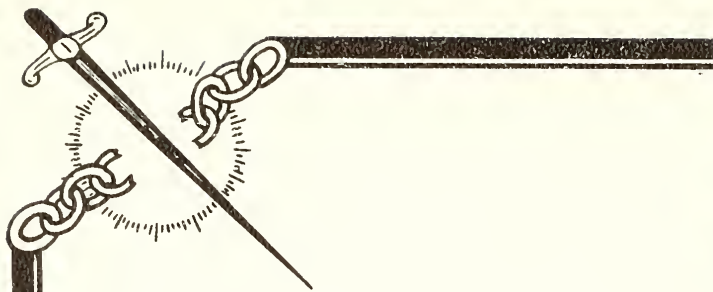


Without Don as a member, our class would have been incomplete, for he has been an invaluable asset to the college during his three years at E.P.B.C. He has been a member of the social committee and has used his talents for God on many assignments.

We are proud to have you as our "Torch" editor this year, Don. May God bless your ministry wherever you go with the message of liberation.



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Elvie King

WINDSOR, NFLD.

"For though I preach the Gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me, yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the Gospel."

I Cor. 9:16.



Jesus my Saviour, Healer, Baptizer and Coming King.

At the age of five, I contacted spinal meningitis and infantile paralysis. The doctors were helpless in curing my condition.

The pain deformed my body, until my head almost touched my heels. Manytimes Pastor A.S. Bursey, my parents, and children of the Lord would anoint me with oil and pray. The pain would momentarily leave and I could sleep. One day, the doctors were going to try to help by splintering my legs. Again Pastor Bursey prayed, Jesus straightened my legs and I could sit up. The doctors still said I could never walk again, but in child-like faith, asking to be carried to church and prayed for, I believed that Jesus would heal me and I would walk home. I was carried to church, the Saints of God anointed me with oil and prayed. Jesus touched my body and I have been walking ever since.

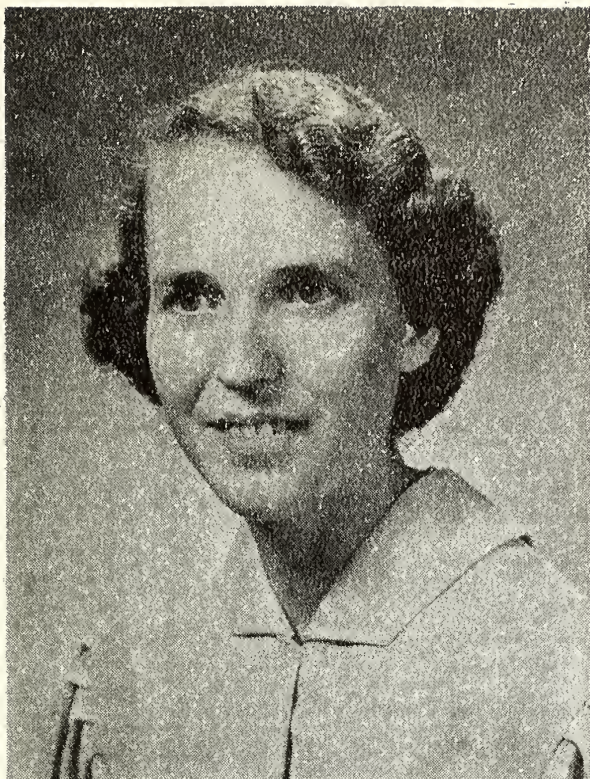
My life is not my own! God took it when I was five years of age. May He use it for His glory.



Elvie's friendly smile and frank sincerity, coupled with her keen sense of humour, has won her a place in the heart of every student; especially those of the Liberators class.

The secret of Elvie's christian walk lies in her grounded belief in the power of prayer and her daily contact with God's Word.

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Lucy King

WINDSOR, NFLD.

"Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain:.....

John 15:16.

One of the greatest blessings that can be bestowed upon a young person is to have Christian parents; for this I am very grateful.

I received Christ as my Saviour early in life while attending a Children's Service and was filled with His Holy Spirit a few years later.

I felt the hand of God upon my life and three years ago He led me to E.P.B.C. Praise God for the privilege of studying His Word, taught by Spirit-filled teachers.

As I leave college my prayer is that I might be used to win souls for Him, the One Who has done so much for me.

Great drops of grief can ne'er repay
The debt of love I owe
Dear Lord I give myself away
'Tis all that I can do.



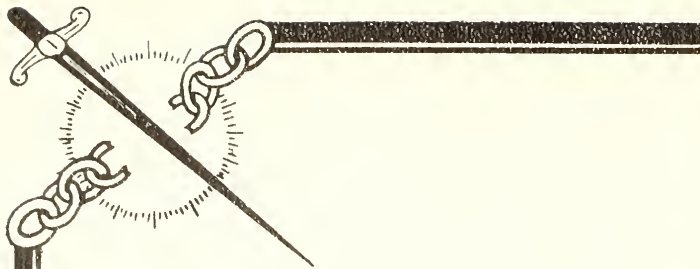
Lucy is another one of the girls who comes to us from that distant province known as Newfoundland.

She, although very quiet, has won the hearts of the fellow-Liberators with her friendly smile.

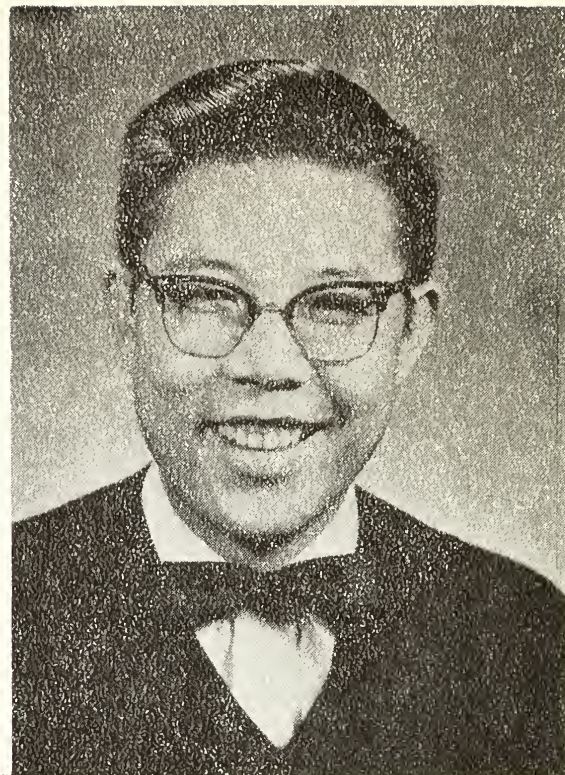
We have greatly enjoyed your fellowship, Lucy. Our prayer is that God will make you a blessing wherever you labour for Him.



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*Isaac Lai*

HONG KONG



"For I wish that I my self were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brethren, my kinsmen, by race." R.S.V. Rom. 9:3.

With a joyful and thankful heart I give my testimony because God has been so gracious to me.

When I was a child my mother taught me to worship her god called Buddha. It was an unforgettable night when Jesus saved me in a little town called Chung San in Kwong Si, China. Since that day I have experienced real joy and peace in my heart. Praise the Lord!

God has not only saved me but filled me with the Holy Ghost and called me to be his servant. By His grace I graduated from the Ecclesia Bible Institute, Hong Kong and had the opportunity to preach the gospel in Hong Kong, Kowloon, and Macau for the glory of the Lord.

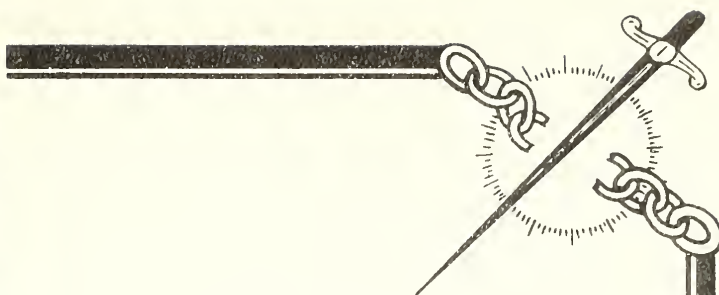
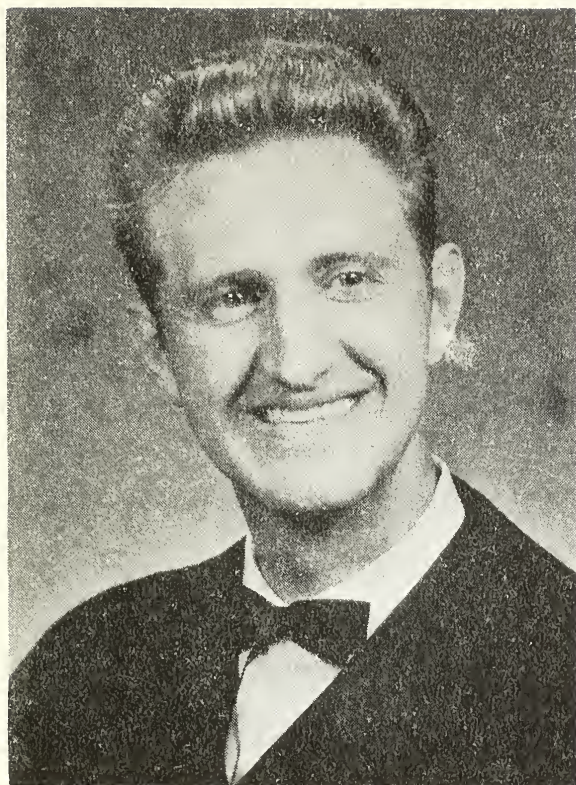
Leaving China I came to E.P.B.C. for further training and have found it most helpful. Please pray for me and for all the Chinese people.



Bro. Isaac Lai was ordained to the ministry in China in 1955. He left his native land and a congregation of six hundred Christians to come to E.P.B.C. for further study in the Word of God and improvement in the knowledge of the English language. God has immeasurably helped him. His spirit-filled life has been of untold inspiration to everyone. He sings with the Holy Spirit upon him, and shows the joy of the Lord in his heart in everything he does. Christ within is revealed without by the smile on his face.

May God bless you Isaac as you return to His harvest field.

The Spirit of the Lord . . .



Calvin Morgan

MEAFORD, ONT.

Graduation Speaker

"That I may know Him, and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being made conformable unto His death."

Phil. 3:10.

In the fall of 1949, in a cottage prayer meeting I accepted Christ as my Saviour and Lord. From that moment the greatest desire of my life has been to "know Him" and to make Him known.

One of the things that I covet today more than anything else in this world, is the consciousness of Sonship, the feeling of belonging; "the Spirit of Adoption," which God has given to those "who are the called according to His purpose."

The past three years in E.P.B.C. have been most enjoyable. The teaching of its faculty, has made an indelible mark on my life, for which I am very grateful. Their teaching has given me a great inlet into God's Word. Scriptures that I saw nothing in before, have become living and real.

I leave with a stronger faith in Christ and a grounded belief that the Bible is the Infallible Word of God.

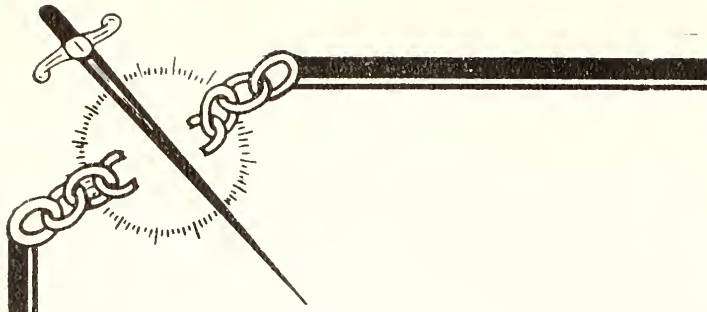


Calvin has been in Ontario four years, coming originally from Newfoundland. His sincerity, pleasing personality, and ability as a speaker has given him the respect of all, and promises him a good future in the ministry. He has been active in hospital work, assignments, and as a prayer band leader.

Our prayers, Calvin, are with you, and Jean, as you continue to work for the Master.

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Florence Munn

LONDON, ONT.



"For I know whom I have believed,
and am persuaded that he is able to
keep that which I have committed
unto Him against that day."

II Tim. 1:12.

Through the influence of Godly parents I came to know Christ in my childhood days, and four years later was filled with the Holy Spirit.

As a baby of eight months, an operation was performed on my left ear for a mastoid. Three years later, the same ear began to trouble me again to the extent that the doctor who examined me said it would be necessary to operate again, and that the result would be partial hearing for the rest of my life. Upon hearing this diagnosis, mother called the elders of the church. I was instantly healed the moment they prayed for me and have never had any ear trouble since.

Later in life, a desire grew in my heart to attend Bible School that I might be better able to "divide the word of truth." I praise God for this privilege of studying His word and now my desire is in the words of the hymn we sing: "Not what I wish to be, nor where I wish to go, for who am I that I should choose my way? The Lord shall choose for me."



Florence came to join our class mid-way through our second year. Her pleasant manner and sweet personality has been a blessing to our hearts. Being honest and sincere before us all, Florence has been an example of Christian grace which we have admired.

As we graduate and separate, we pray God will bless you, Florence, and be manifested in your life.

because the Lord . . .



Ruth Phillips

BELLEVILLE, ONT.

"And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose."

Rom. 8:28.

In July 1951, by faith I saw my name written down in the Lamb's Book of Life. As the altar call was given, I accepted the abundant life offered through Christ's vicarious, substitutionary death. After four days the spirit of power came upon me. It was the baptism of the Holy Ghost as Christ had promised.

My arrival at E.P.B.C. terminated a four year struggle with self and God's will.

I rejoice in the truths I have received as Spirit-filled men and women have opened the sacred pages of the Word of God. Now I can see clearly God's plan, Jesus' death, resurrection and the hope of the second coming of Christ. My prayer is: "that each Liberator will have a fruitful ministry in His whitened harvest field."

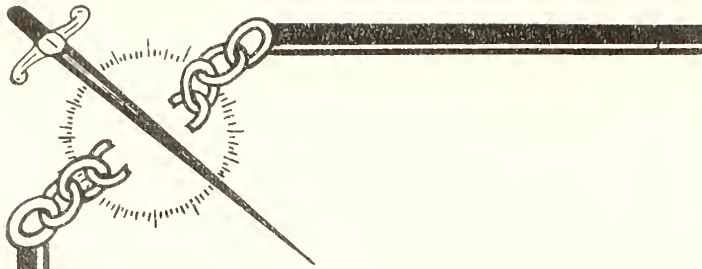


In the past three years, Ruth's cheerful smile and pleasant ways have added many happy moments to our school life. Her willingness to serve God with all her heart is shown in her desire to please Him in prayer, praise and worship.

Our prayer is that God shall give her a rich ministry with many lost souls coming to know Jesus as their Saviour.



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Lydia Pleshko

WINNIPEG, MAN.



"But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you."
Matt. 6:33.

Thank God for Christian parents!

Even though I came from a Christian home, at the age of eight I realized my need of a Saviour, and accepted Him into my heart and life. Christ has been real to me in the past years, filled me with His Holy Spirit, and called me for His service.

I can truly say that "every day with Jesus is sweeter than the day before." I've proved Him to be just that in these past years at E.P.B.C. My College experiences have been many and varied, and it is wonderful to know there is one beside us who cares and understands.

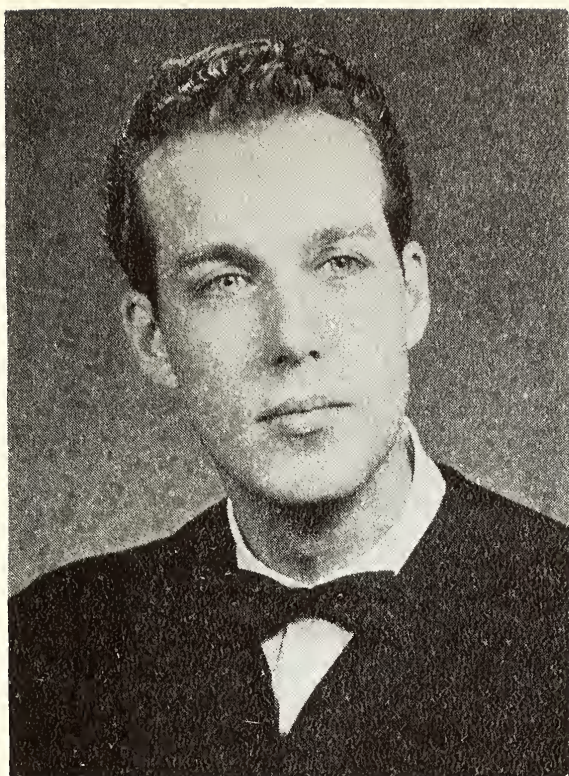
My earnest prayer is: "That I be found faithful doing His will, whatever it may be."



We are happy to have Lydia graduating with us because her talents and consecrated life has helped us in our Christian experience. She has won many friends because she has shown herself friendly. Lydia has always been willing and faithful in working for the Lord in Bible Club work and ministering vocally on assignments.

Our prayer is that God will grant her His richest blessing and give her many souls to lay at the Master's feet.

to preach good tidings • • •



Daniel Poirier

MONTREAL, QUE.

Baccalaureate Speaker

"Faithful is he that calleth you, who also will do it." I Thess. 5:24.

God was gracious to me, in that He gave me Pentecostal parents who guided me with Christian principles. At 16 years of age God baptized me with the Holy Ghost and since that time I have experienced God guiding me by His Word, His Spirit and by circumstances.

I came to E.P.B.C. to prepare for the ministry and have found a rich, deep experience in God since doing so. It is a privilege to be able to study God's Word under the direction of consecrated Christian teachers in a Pentecostal atmosphere along with Christian young people.

As I go into His harvest I know He will continue to guide me, for He is Faithful and has promised that "He that goeth forth and weepeth bearing precious seed shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him."

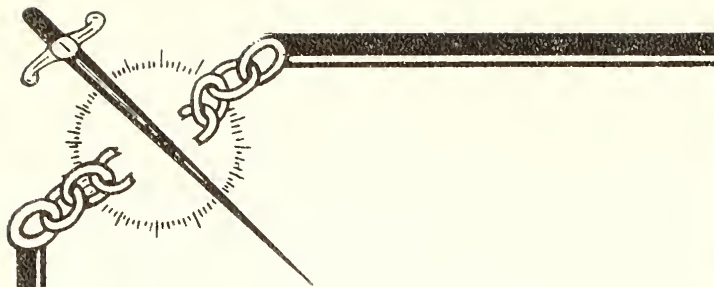


Danny's leadership and scholastic achievements have caused him to be respected and appreciated greatly among us. His work on the Student Council, Torch Staff and as leader of the French Canada and European Prayer Band has exemplified his ability.

Our desire for Danny is that God will mightily use him in liberating souls from the darkness of sin.

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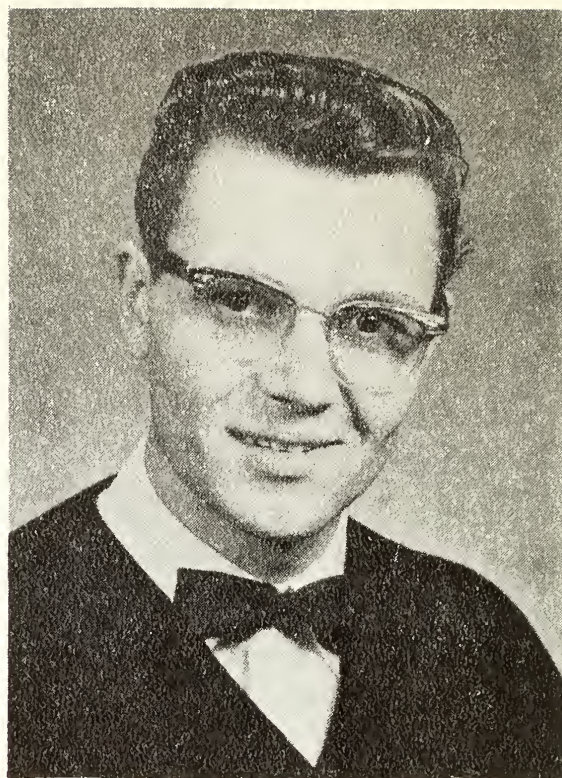




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Herbert Shoemaker

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.



"But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you."

Matt. 6:33.

In planning a future, I pushed Bible College and the ministry to the remotest part of my mind. When the trade I had chosen did not work out, I seized another opportunity in an office. It was not long before this too, became unsatisfactory. I then started training to be a manager of a shoe store. At this I seemed successful, but at one step from my goal, I felt the call of God deeply impressed on my heart.

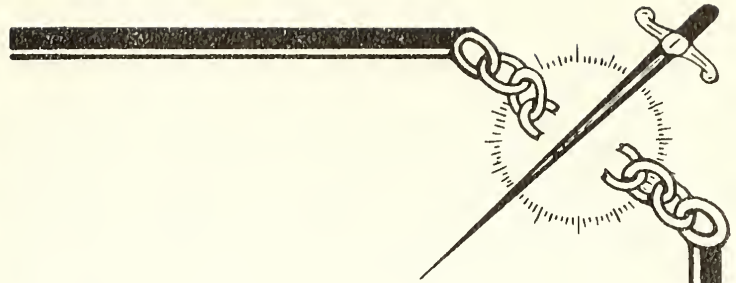
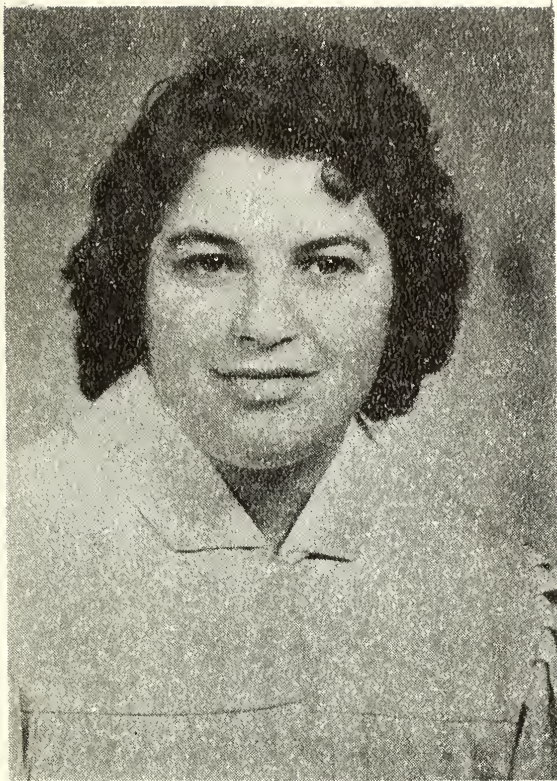
I entered college thinking I had lost every chance for success and a comfortable easy life. In the past three years I have discovered to my amazement, that seeing the blessing of God among His people and souls saved, is of more value than all the opportunities, comforts and pleasures of life combined.



Herb's talented and consecrated life has been a blessing to our class. He has been very active by singing and preaching on assignments, working on the Street Meeting and Tract Committee and being the leader of the British West Indies and South America Prayer Band.

May the Light of the Word and the anointing of the Spirit be your constant guide, Herb, as you follow Jesus.

He hath sent me to! • • •



Wavey Single

WINDSOR, NFLD.

"Holding forth the Word of Life that I may rejoice in the day of Christ, that I have not run in vain, neither laboured in vain."
Phil. 2:16.

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I thank the Lord for Christian parents. In my teens I accepted Christ as my Saviour, and crowned Him King of my life.

I count it a great privilege to have attended E.P.B.C. It has been three years of blessing to sit and listen to Spirit-filled teachers.

My desire is to be faithful to Christ, and some day to hear Him say, "Well done."

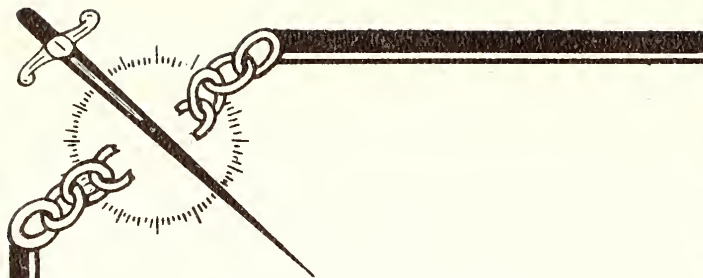
"Not what I wish to be, nor where I wish to go, for who am I that I should choose my way? The Lord shall choose for me its better far I know, so let Him bid me go or stay."



"A merry heart doeth good like a medicine." This Scripture describes Wavey as she has dwelt among the students at E.P.B.C. She has won a special place in the heart of each Liberator. Her zeal and determination to do the will of God has been an inspiration to all of us. We know that many lives will be encouraged in whatever field she enters.

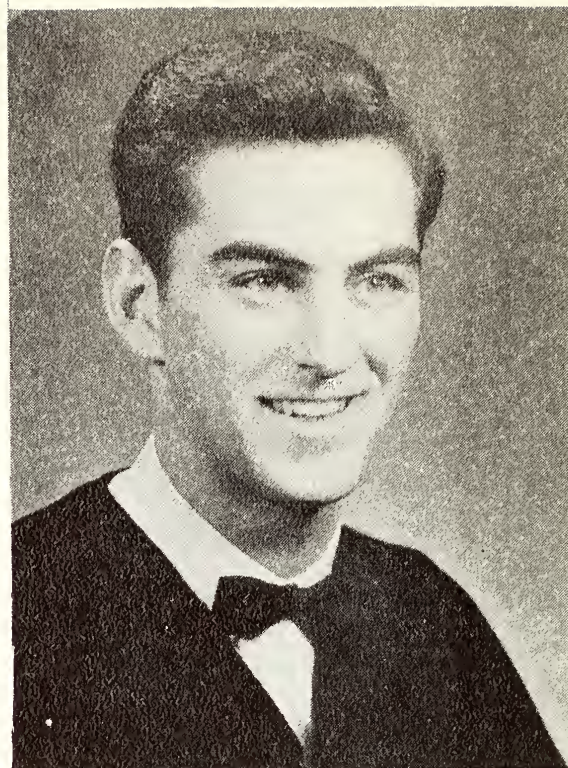


... bind up the brokenhearted,



Albert Vaters

ST. JOHNS, NFLD.



"For ye are dead, and your life is hid with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with Him in glory."
Col. 3:3, 4.

It hardly seems possible that my three years at Bible College have come to an end. Since my decision to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit and come to E.P.B.C. in the fall of '55, my days have been blessed with the presence of the Lord. Through the capable guidance of Spirit-filled teachers, I have been led to a higher appreciation of His Word and power.

The future may be unknown to me but--"I know in whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to keep that which I have committed unto Him against that day." May we, as true Liberators ever, "...preach not ourselves but Christ Jesus the Lord and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake."

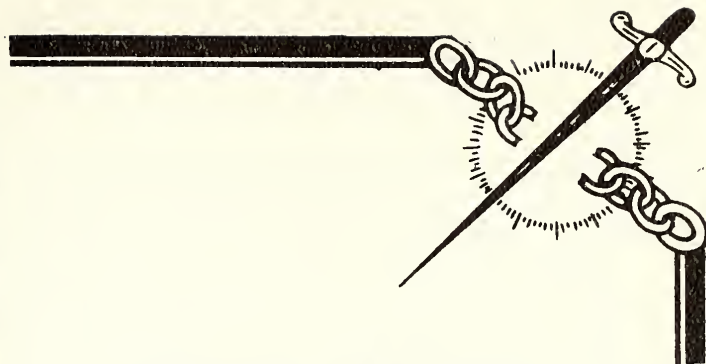
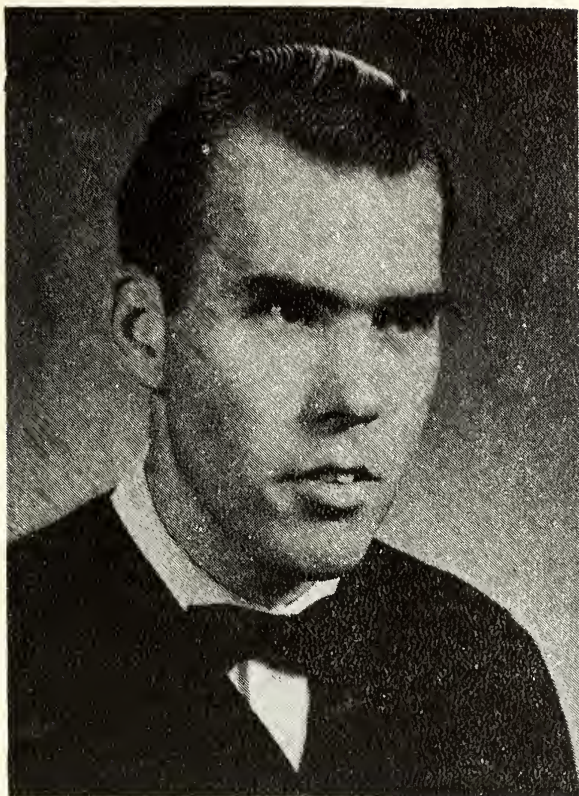


Albert is another one of the six Liberators who comes from Newfoundland. His pleasant, cheerful manner has been enjoyed by our class members very much. Albert's love for God and the moving of the Holy Spirit will not be forgotten.

Albert has done some preaching on the week-end assignments during the past year.

May God's blessing be upon you, Albert, in the years that lie ahead of you as you serve the Lord.

to proclaim liberty • • •



James Weller

TORONTO, ONT.

Student Council President

"Behold I stand at the door and knock:
If any man hear my voice and open
the door, I will come in to him...."
Rev. 3:20.

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It was my privilege to have Christian parents and at an early age I received Christ as my Lord and Master. Shortly following that I experienced the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

Upon graduation from high school, I had to make a great decision in my life--it was the fork in the road. Where would I go? What vocation would I follow? God had been dealing with my heart for several years and now I found it impossible to do anything but follow Him and attend Bible College. After a year at Peterborough my decision was confirmed and I was assured of my calling, to preach the Living Word.

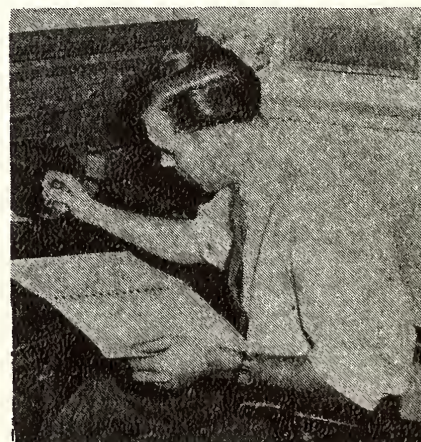
The Future lies ahead with nothing yet certain, except that I will trust in Him, "Who knoweth the way that I take."



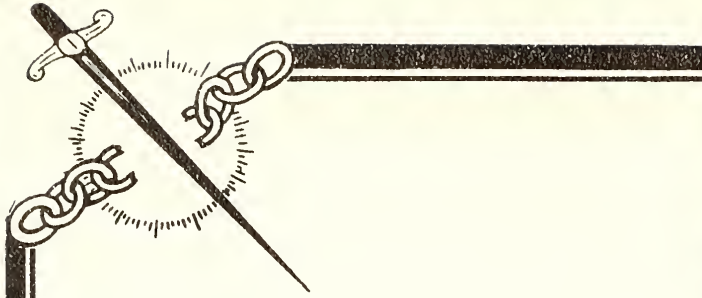
Jim's friendly manner and pleasing personality has won him a place in the heart of every student, especially the Liberators.

During the past three years he has played an active part in the life of E.P.B.C. Jim has proven his abilities as a capable photographer for the "Torch", and has been an able leader of the China-Japan Prayer Band. This past year he has done an excellent job as the President of the Student Council.

Wherever the Lord may lead Jim, our prayers for God's abundant blessing upon his ministry will continue to follow him.



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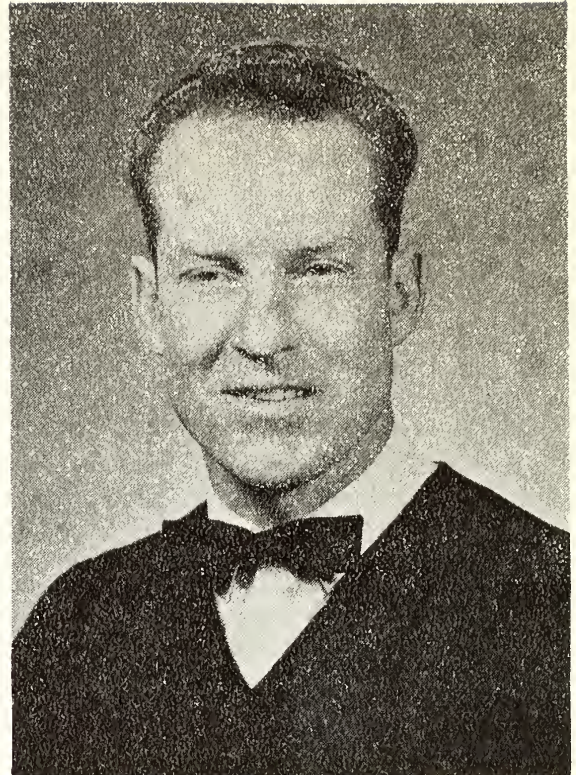


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Ralph Hilsden

ST. CATHARINES, ONT.

Special Course



"Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit..."
John 15:16.

Christian parents and a Christian environment have contributed much toward the moulding of my life. For some years I had desired to receive Bible School training. Other ambitions had failed to satisfy the longing of my heart and now a deeper experience in God, and the expectancy of being used in His work are proving to be the answer.

God has directed me through convictions and circumstances, until by a miracle of His planning, I have been privileged to receive a much-needed basic understanding of His word at E.P.B.C. To experience the continual presence of the Holy Spirit and receive the illumination of the Holy word to my heart, has been a blessed privilege.

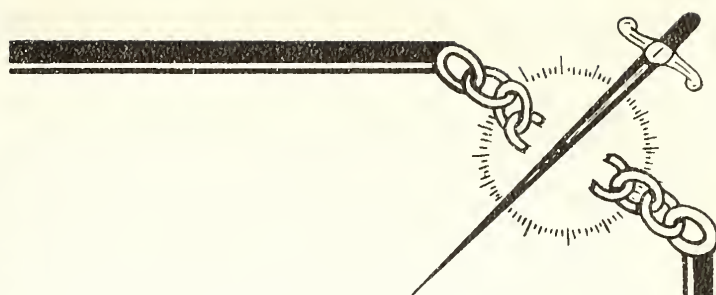
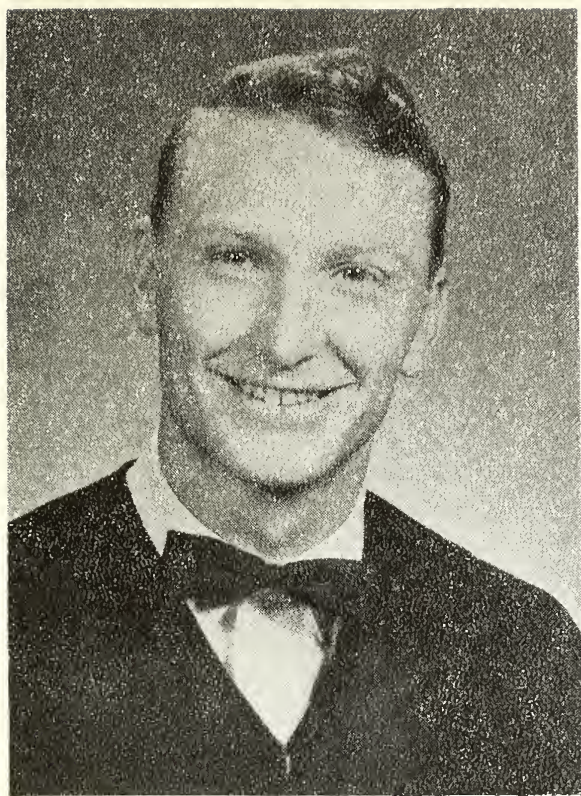
As I leave the college, I pray that my life shall continually be hidden in the Master, and that I may effectively preach Christ, who alone is the answer to the urgent needs of this world.



A quieter member, Ralph has fit into our class well since he joined us last year. He left a good position and comfortable home to apply himself to the study of God's word at E.P.B. College.

Ralph is a distinguished Liberator in that he is the only married member of our class who has a family, which consists of four fine boys.

and the opening of the prison . . .



Earl Waugh

HAMILTON, ONT.

Special Course

Illuminator Editor

"Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not."

Jer. 33:3.

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God has blessed me in that I have been raised in a Christian home. When eleven years old, Jesus Christ became my Saviour and His presence has been with me ever since. The Pentecostal message gripped my heart and at the age of sixteen, I received the infilling of the Holy Spirit. Later, the call of God upon my life for full time service was realized as Mark 16:15 became real to me. However after graduating from high school, I entered the business world, only to find that God's place for me was elsewhere. With a desire to fulfill the will of God, I entered E.P.B.C. to train for His work. The determination of my heart is to bring honour and glory to God and be a blessing to my fellow men.



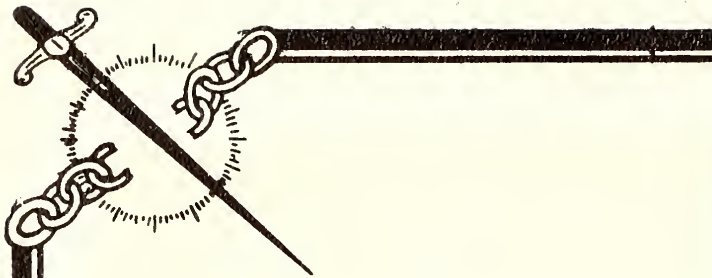
Earl's pleasing personality and zeal for God will be remembered by all of us as we part from one another.

Since joining us in our second year, Earl has been very active. This year he is the editor of our college paper, the "Illuminator". He has served as Business Manager for the "Torch" and this past year led the India and Asia Prayer Band.

God bless you, Earl, as you graduate with us and preach Christ unto a people in need of the liberating message.



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Rev. Norman Schlarbaum

Honorary Class Member

"Proclaim liberty throughout all the
land unto all the inhabitants."

Lev. 25:10.



Never in the world's history has a message of liberation been more urgently needed. Communism, Catholicism, nationalism, paganism and materialism have enslaved the bodies, souls and spirits of mankind. These are days when the enemy has come in like a flood. Now is the hour to claim God's promise: "The Spirit of the Lord shall lift up a standard against him." Isa. 59:19.

We must venture into this spiritual warfare--"strong in the Lord and in the power of His might." We must be equipped with the whole armour of God. Our weapon of attack is the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God.

Our source of supply and contact with our heavenly captain, the Lord Jesus Christ, is to be maintained by prayer. We must be praying (always) in the Holy Ghost. Jude 20.

At all times and in all circumstances we must have the Spirit of the Lord God upon us. Only with God's anointing can we preach good tidings, bind up the brokenhearted, proclaim liberty to the captives, and announce the acceptable year of the Lord.



The Liberators class is glad to have Brother Schlarbaum as an honorary class member. His zeal for God and love for souls is admired by all. The ability to enter into every activity of the class whether social or spiritual, makes him an ideal and much appreciated member of our class. Earnest teaching and profitable fellowship are the qualities which cause the Dean of Men to be highly esteemed as our honorary member.

to proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord.



The **LIBERATORS**

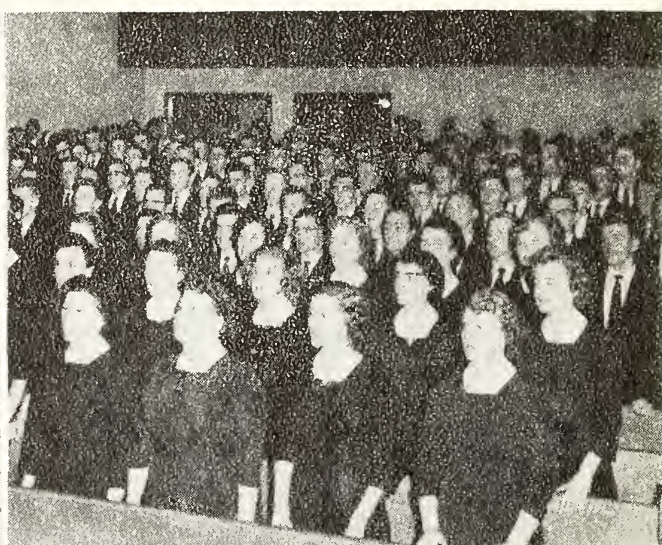
IN RETROSPECT ... (Cont'd. from page 28.)

In our third year we were privileged to further study the Person and Work of Christ but in a special way. Our hearts were thrilled as the Doctrines of Christology and Soteriology were unfolded to us and were made real by the Spirit of God. Then, as we studied the Revelation, we were further convinced that there is only one way the soul of man can find liberty from Hell and death and that is through the Mighty Liberator Whom God hath sent, Jesus Christ. In this book we saw Him as He is pictured standing and declaring "I am He that liveth and was dead and behold I am alive for evermore, and have the keys of Hell and of death."

Since beginning our college life in 1955 our class has had many changes. Numerically, we have decreased from our original forty-seven members to the present graduating class of twenty-seven. We have missed the students who began with us in our first year and who were unable to continue. We sincerely trust God has been with them and has used them to glorify Himself. Other changes in the membership of our class have been made by the addition of students taking a Special Course.



The Liberators in '55. "We have missed the students who began with us."



Our second year Convocation Service seems to have happened just yesterday.

Dormitory life has been exciting and different. In this mode of living we have grown as a class, to know each other in a special way. Friendships have been moulded which will last into eternity. Those we have grown to know best and appreciate most have been our room-mates. These acquaintances have been invaluable and will be treasured in the storehouse of our memories during the coming years of our ministry for the Master.

School life has not been all hard work and studies but we have enjoyed many social times together as a class. We shall not forget the hospitality shown to us by the congregation of the Peterboro Pentecostal Church at the first year Welcome Get-together and the fun we had that night. Nor shall we be able to erase from our memory the day of "Initiation" and the humiliating process we went through. The treatment administered by the Junior and Senior students was not the most pleasant, but it did something for us which nothing else in school could have done.

October 15th, 1957, is a day which will never be forgotten by any of the graduating Liberator class. It was the day we forsook the studies, students and teachers of the



The sweet memories of Sneak Day which began at 4:30 on that Tuesday morn.



The heart-stirring memories of the weeks of prayer. "With thanksgiving to God"

College to enjoy the Annual Third year "Sneak Day" at Elim Camp. Our memories of it are sweet as we think of the morning devotions; the prayer partners which were formed, the sweet presence of God and the message on "Lifting up Holy Hands".

Then we turn from the social side of school life and our memories pulsate with thanksgiving to God as we recall the weeks of Prayer we were privileged to experience. It was two weeks of prayer when God moved in our hearts breaking us, melting us, moulding us by His Spirit and filling us with power to proclaim liberty to the captives. We shall never forget as we saw God in action, baptizing students with His Spirit, healing sick bodies and solving insurmountable problems. Our hearts are thrilled at the remembrance of the greatness of God. These have been days when God has proven Himself to us.

Now as we graduate and enter the whitened harvest fields we are made conscious of two things. First, the greatness of the task and secondly, the inability of ourselves. The challenge is tremendous, the time is limited while the captives sit and wait. We must arise as commissioned and preach the Gospel of Liberty. Insufficient in ourselves we gladly proclaim "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon us, "For it is not by might nor by power but by My Spirit saith the Lord."

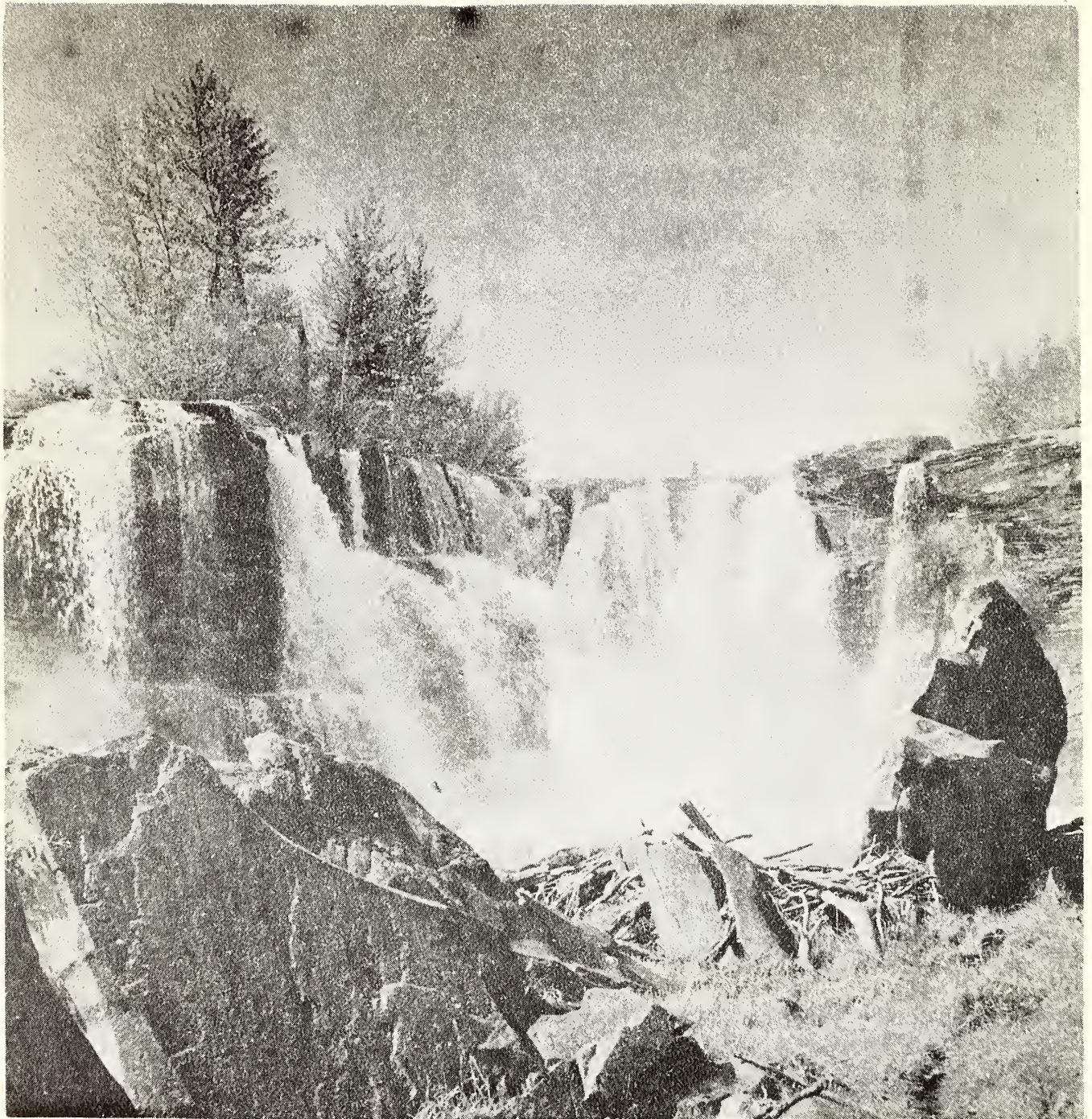
- Earl Young.



"We have enjoyed many social times together as a class, such as our second year party here.

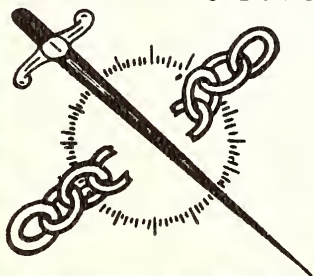


FROM THE PROGRESS OF THE PAST TO THE PROMISE OF THE FUTURE.



The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters

Psa. 93:4



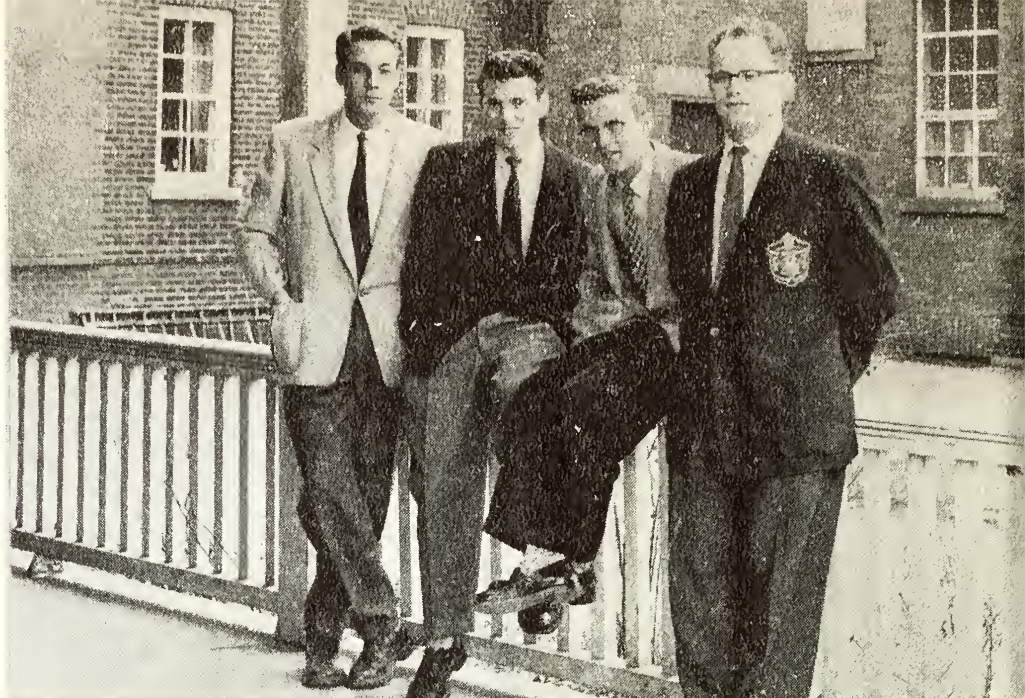
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But ye shall receive power after that the
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Student Council Members



Acts 1:8. - "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

These were Jesus' last words to all his disciples just before he was enveloped by the white clouds into heaven and was seated at the Father's right hand. They were not only intended for the disciples of long ago, but for us who have been redeemed by the precious Blood of the Lamb, and have been called to be witnesses for him in this twentieth century.

That first phrase says, "ye shall receive power." Jesus himself realized that we as Christians would need someone besides ourselves if we were going to be of any use to the Kingdom of God. He said in John 14:16 "And I will pray the Father and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you forever", and again in Matt. 28:20, "Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world." I am glad that Jesus made provision for the weakness of our flesh and sent the promised Holy Spirit to empower us for service, to support us, to teach us, to guide us, and to be our blessed Paraclete, the one called along beside us to help.

This second part tells us when we can expect to have power with God and power with men. It's only after we have received the Third Person of the Blessed Trinity into our very beings. We remember how the disciples scattered when Christ was crucified, and again how Peter denied his Lord three times, the third time at the accusation of an innocent maid. But after the Day of Pentecost it was a different story. Fearlessly, Peter preached the first gospel sermon under the anointing of the Holy Spirit and three thousand souls were saved. We read further how that the disciples "went forth and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them confirming the word, with signs following."

Lastly, we read, "Ye shall be witness unto ME". This gives us God's reason for the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. It is for the supreme purpose of making Jesus Christ the only Saviour, known to a lost and dying world which is under the curse and consequence of SIN. Our first responsibility is to our immediate family, then to all those with whom we come in contact day by day, next to those who are looked upon as the outcasts of society, not forgetting those at "the uttermost part of the earth".

We, as Christ's Witnesses, remind all those who do not know the Christ of Calvary as their own personal Saviour, of the words of Jesus himself when he said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life, no man cometh unto the Father but by me". Also to those Christians who have never received the Holy Spirit into their lives in His fulness, we repeat the words of the Apostle Paul to the Ephesians, "Be ye filled with the Spirit".

"For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off even as many as the Lord our God shall call".

John Bunner



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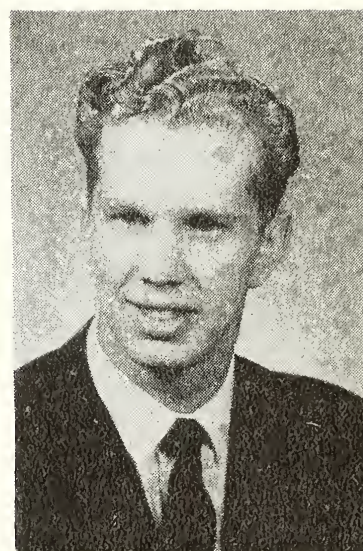
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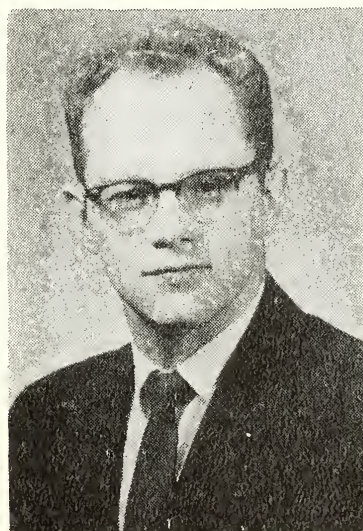
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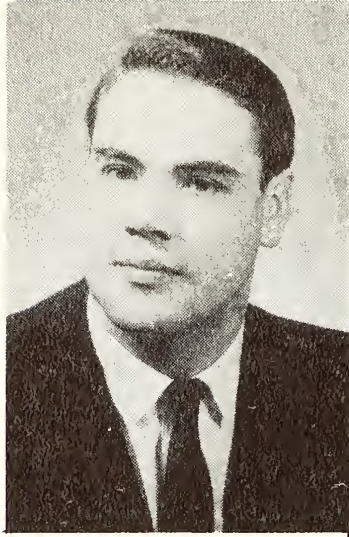
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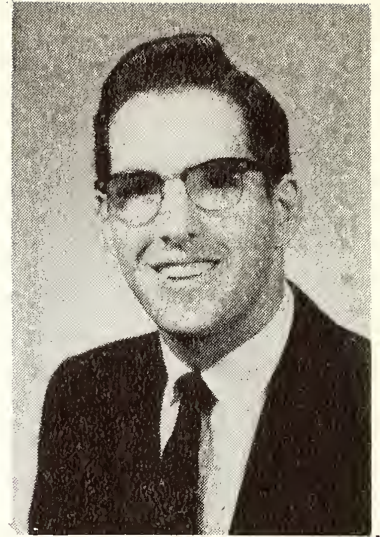
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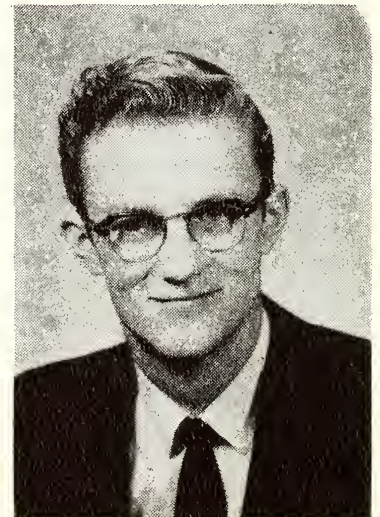
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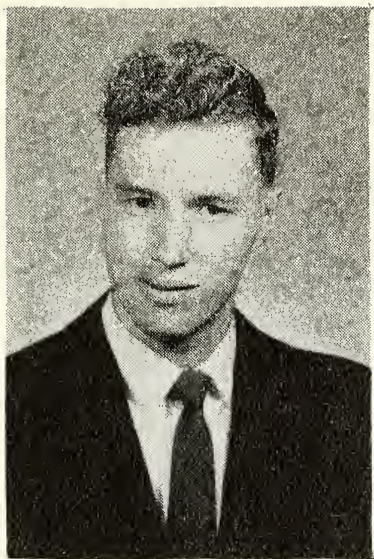
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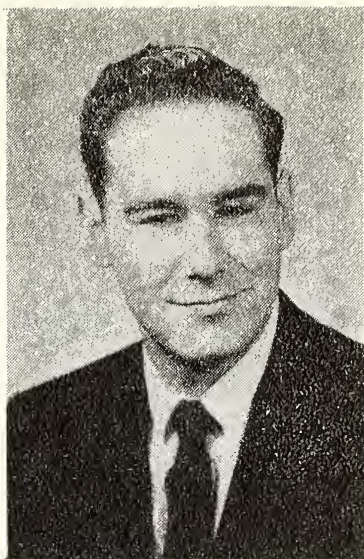


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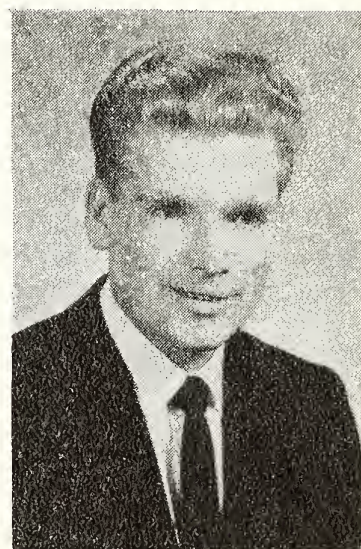
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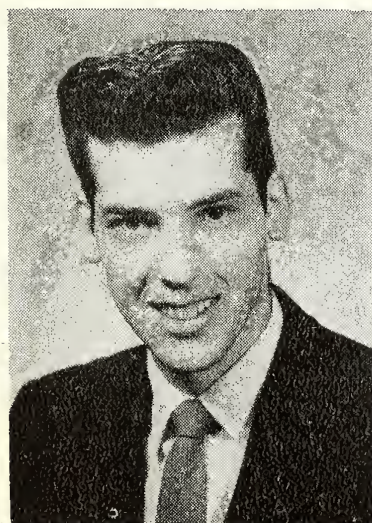
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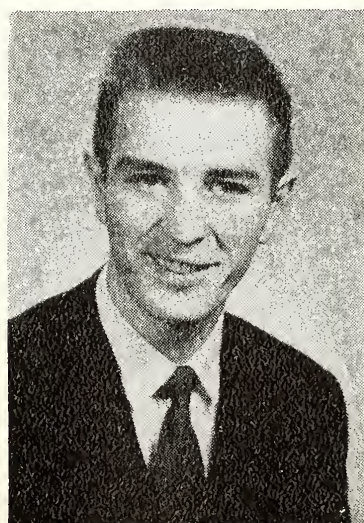
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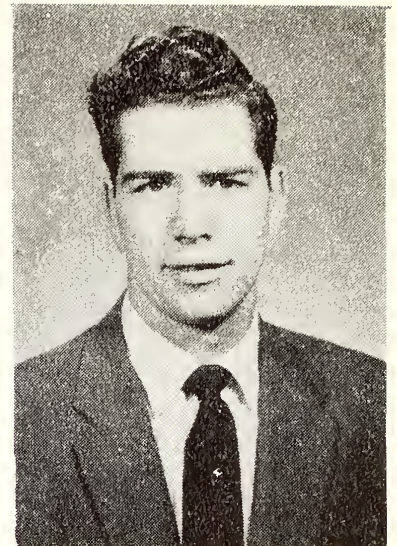
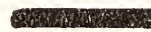


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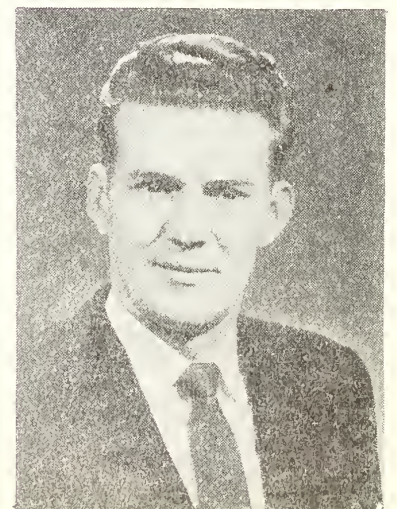
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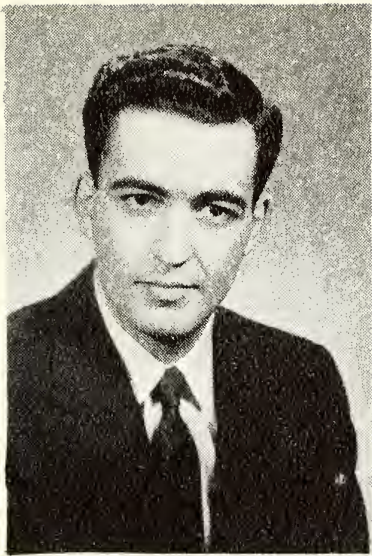


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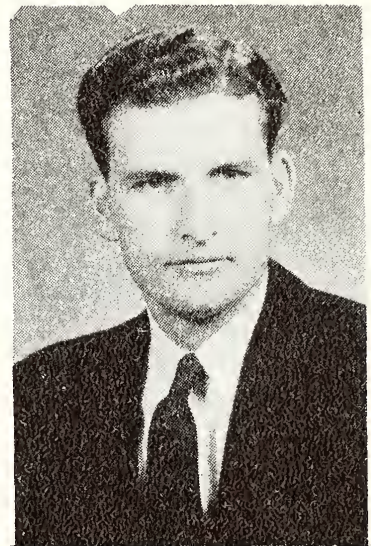
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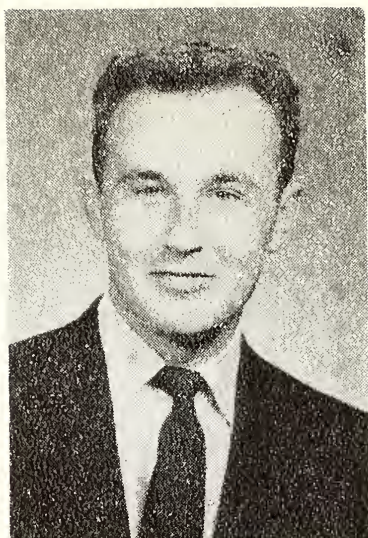
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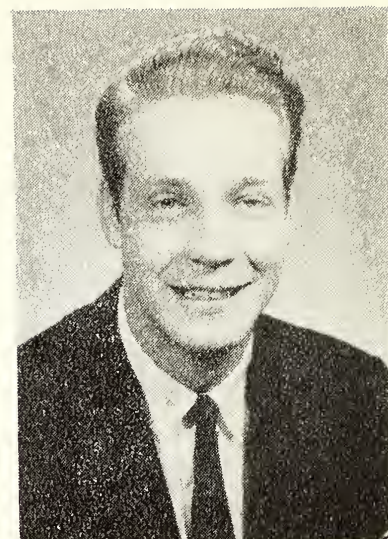
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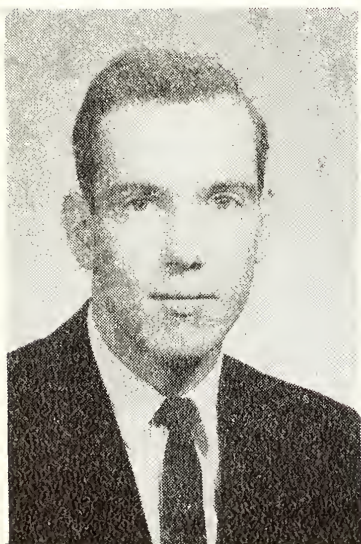


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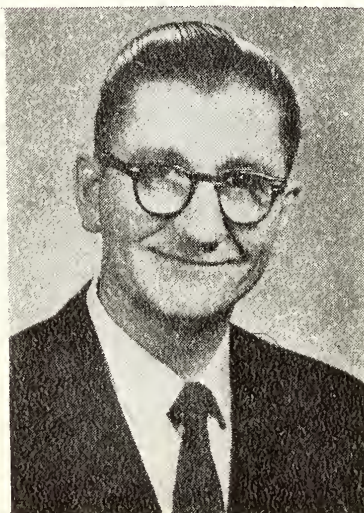


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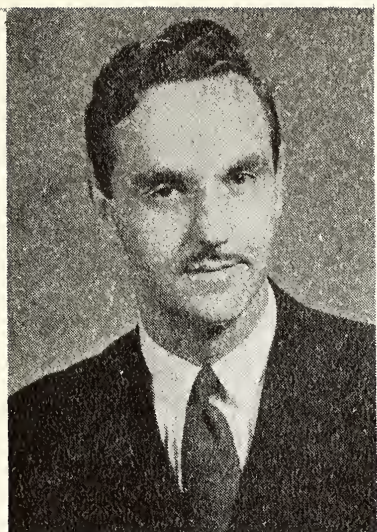
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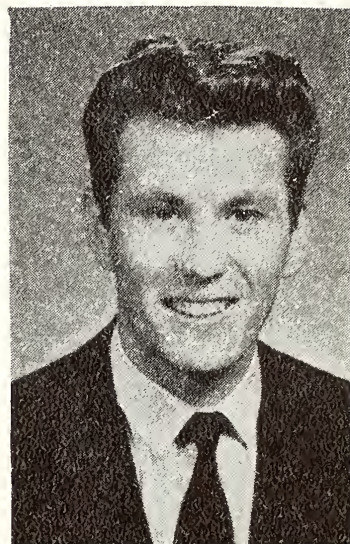


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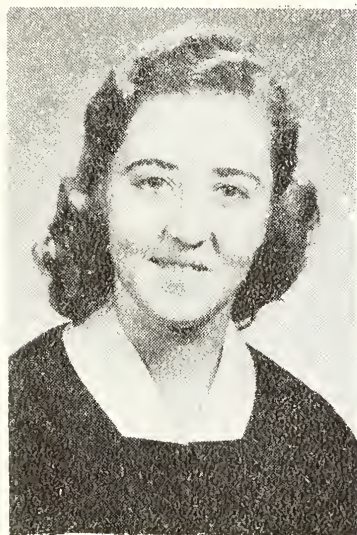


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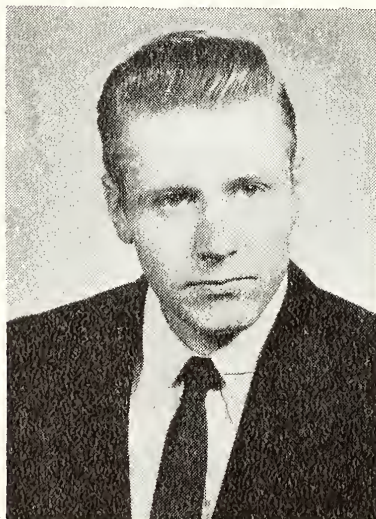
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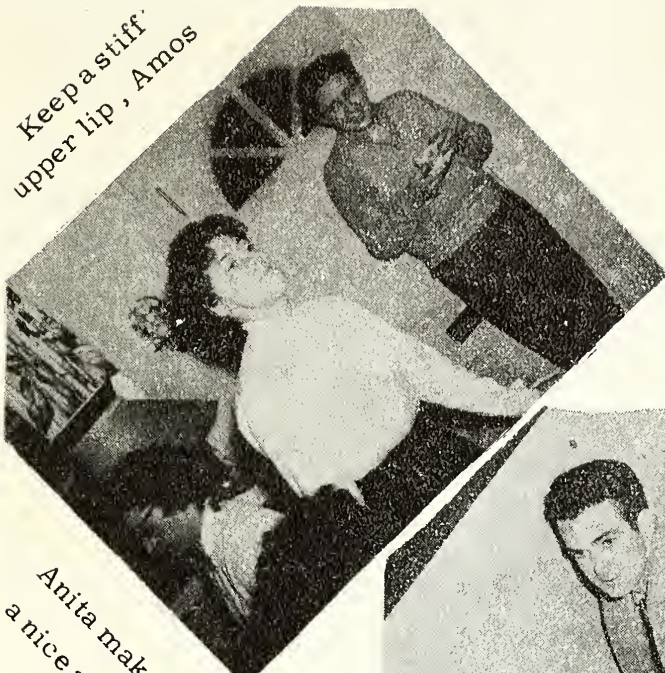
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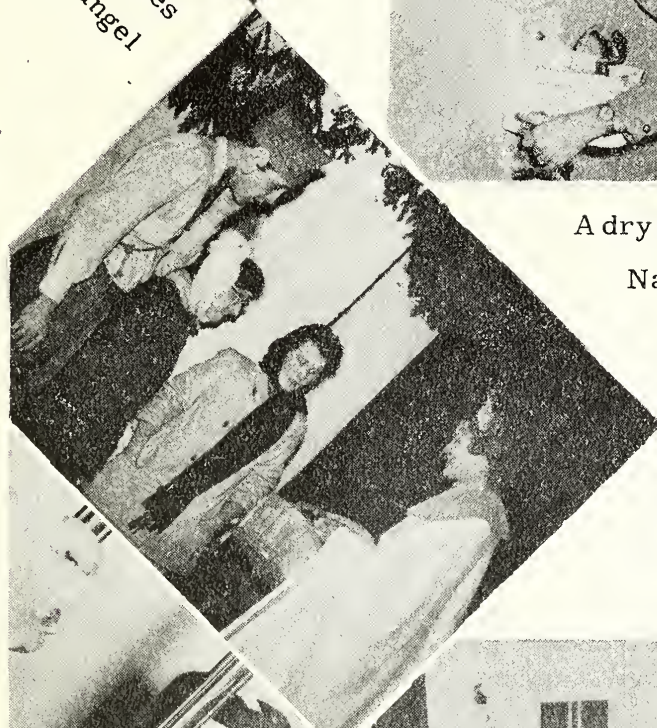
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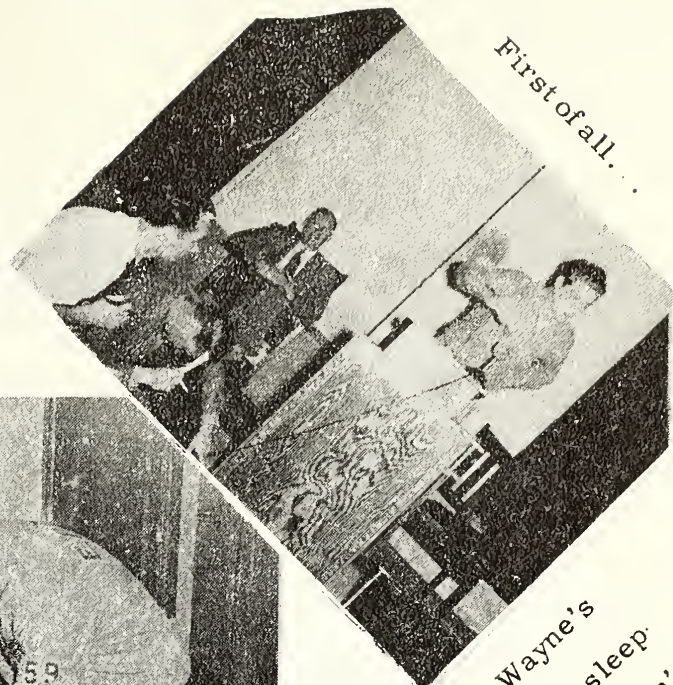


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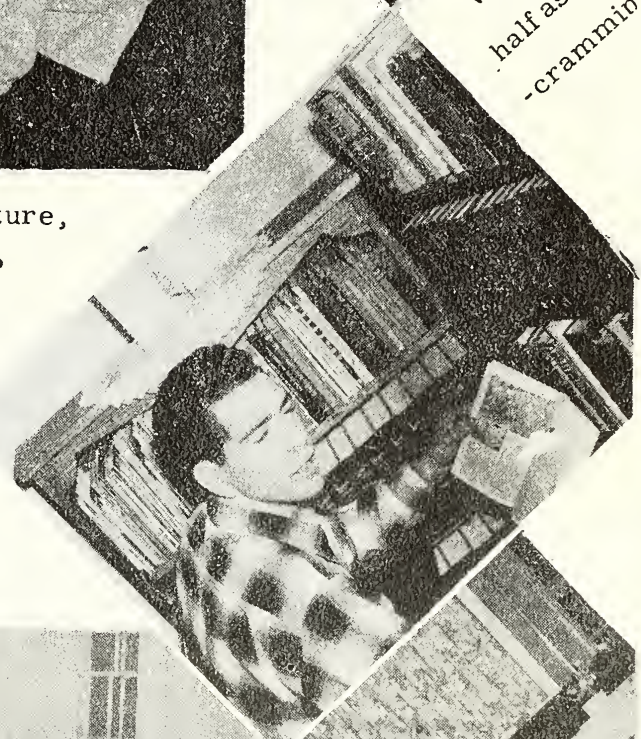


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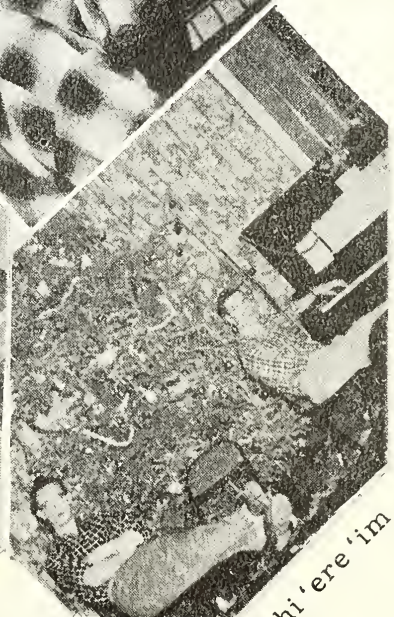
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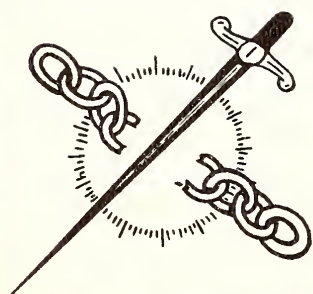


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He giveth snow like wool....

Psa. 147:16



FRESHMEN →



Magnifier 2:09

**O magnify the Lord
with me, and let us exalt
His name together.**

Psalm 34:3.

Student Council Members



O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together. Psalm 34:3.

What challenge is there in this verse for the "Magnifiers" and for all Christians?

Here is revealed the most important purpose of our lives ----- to make known the Lord Jesus Christ! Several of the Psalms read "Let the Lord be magnified." This is a definite call for action, not only a lip service but a life service.

Magnify Him as Lord and Saviour!

Remember in the past how much the name of the Lord has meant to us, and the many times we have called upon Him for our various needs. Is He not the One who saved us, having forgiven our sins and cleansed us with His own blood? Often He has refreshed and strengthened our faith in answering prayer. Now our same Lord and Saviour is guiding our lives as we yield to Him.

Magnify Him as Lord and Master!

Then there is the invitation extended to all to exalt the Lord. Today, as we study the Word of God and as the Holy Spirit illumines the truth to our hearts, do we not hear our Lord and Master telling us to "Go"? We have received much, and every day that is spent in communion with God through His Word or in prayer makes greater our responsibility to extend the invitation to others before it is too late. There are still those who do not know that they must call upon the name of the Lord to be saved. Can we refuse our Master's command and still say with Paul: "Christ will be magnified in my body by life or by death"? Only consecrated lives are ready for His use in bringing others into the kingdom of God. Since Communism realizes this fact, and demands it of converts, how much more of a right has the Lord to ask it of His followers!

Magnify Him as Lord and King!

Finally, the challenge in this verse is toward unity. The Lord has promised to be with those who meet in His name, therefore if we go forth in His name, our future will be brightened by the presence of the "Son of God". The time is coming when "at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord", Phil. 2:10, 11. Let us do our part in making sure that the name of Christ in all its significance has been made known, that when the day comes, people will bow not in fear but in love toward the "King of Kings".

This is the MAGNIFIER'S challenge. Let us give the invitation in Christ's name that united we may exalt our SAVIOUR! MASTER! and KING!

Pauline Burns



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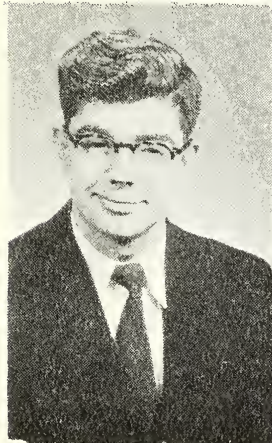


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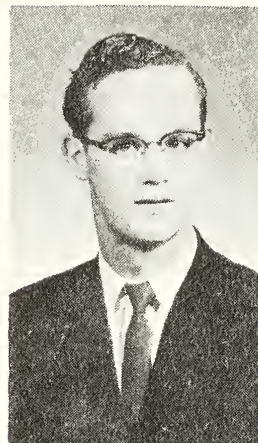


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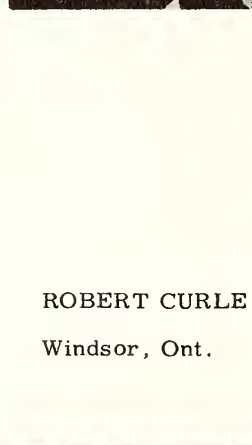
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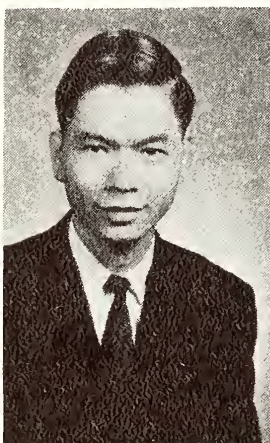
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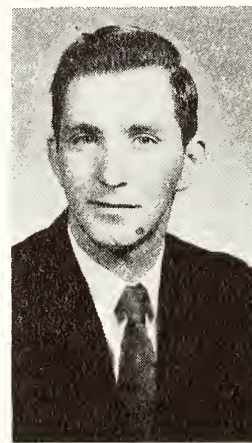
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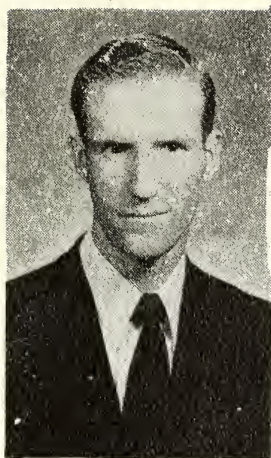


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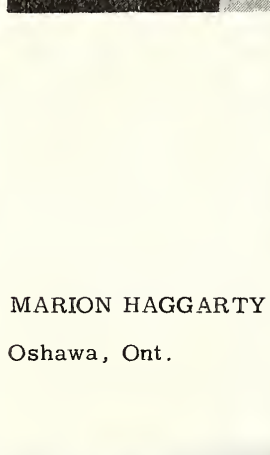
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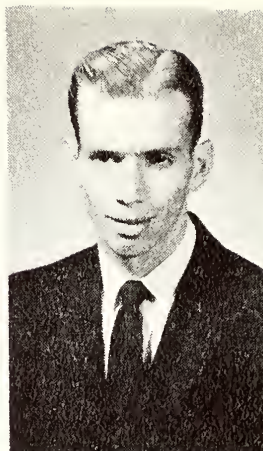
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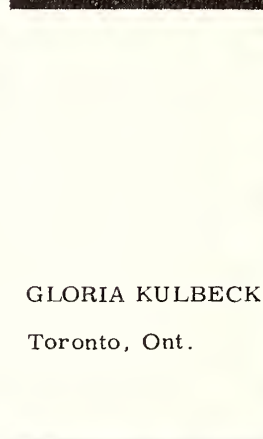
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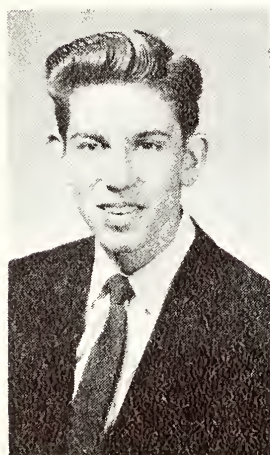
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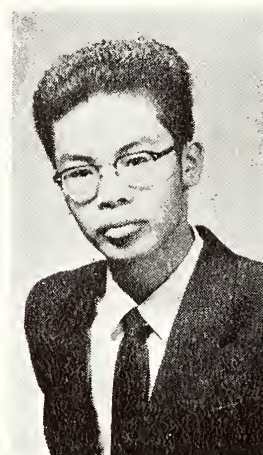
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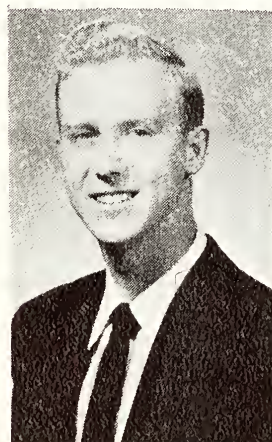
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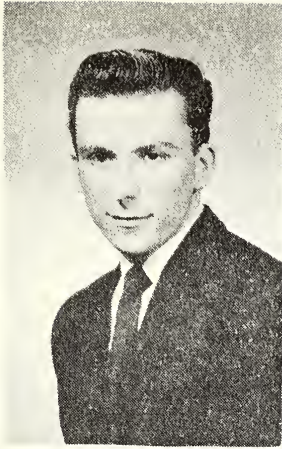
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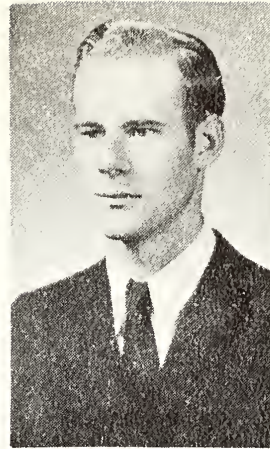
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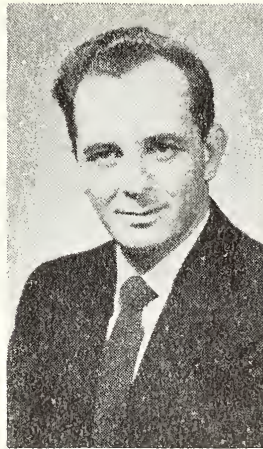
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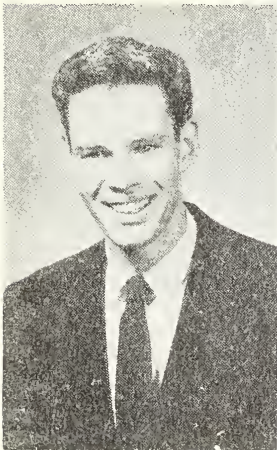


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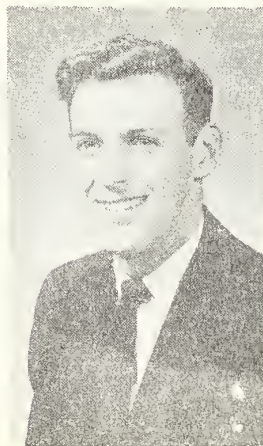
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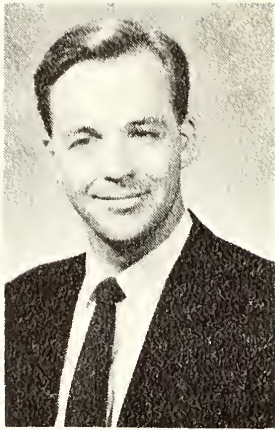


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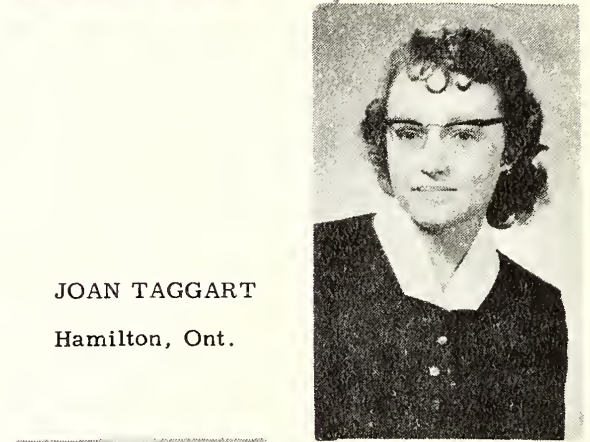


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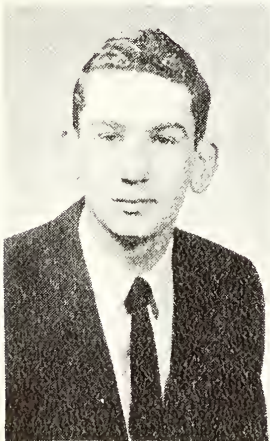


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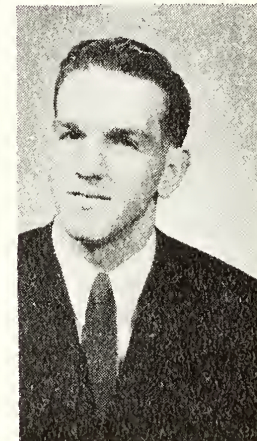


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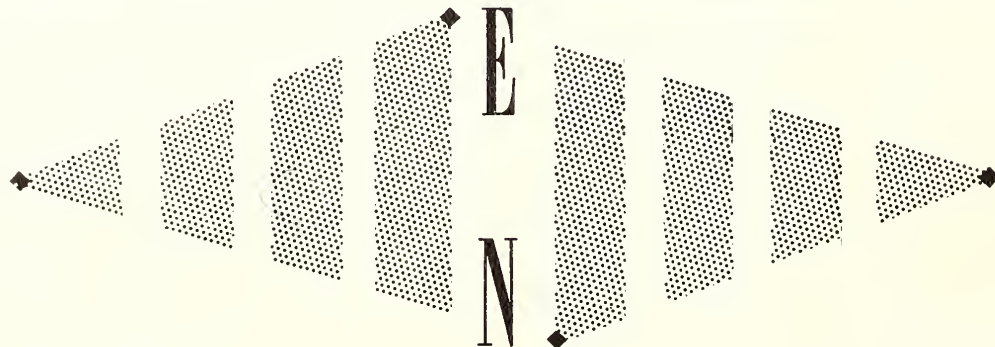


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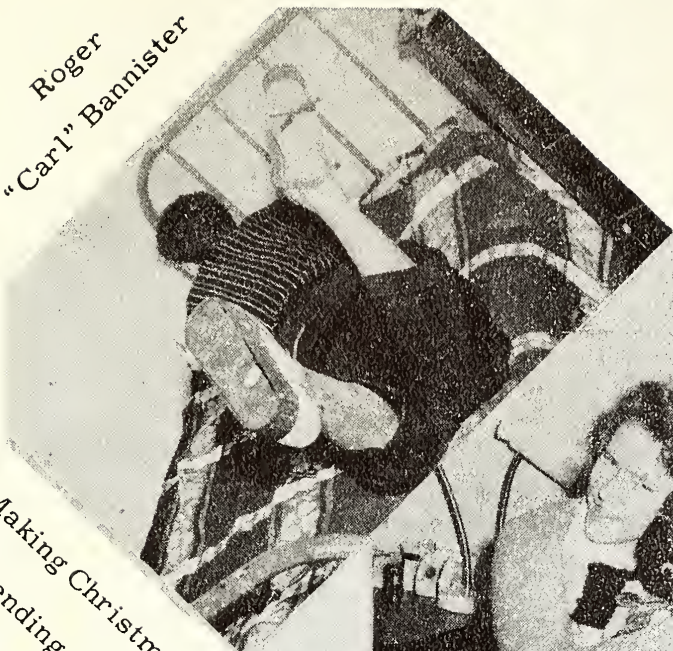
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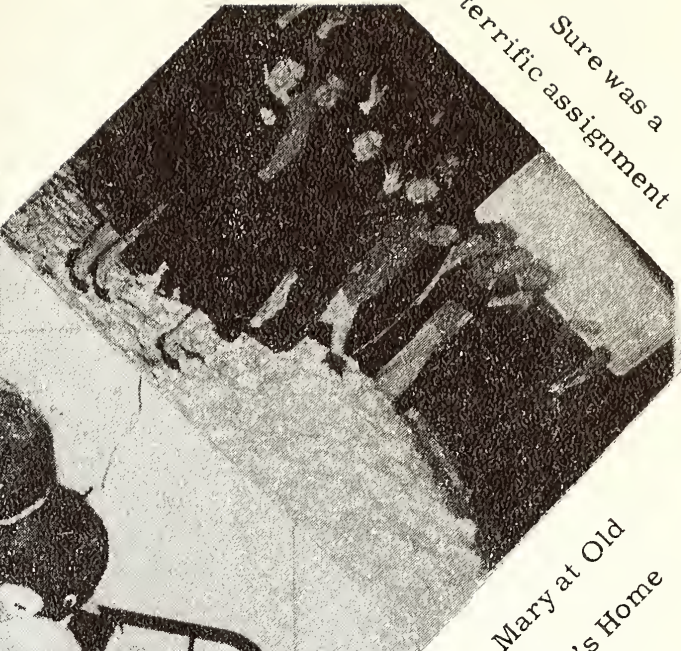
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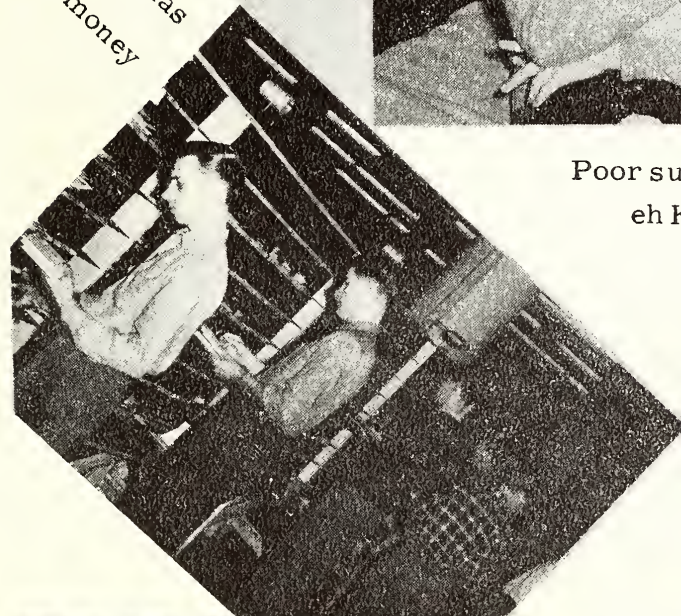
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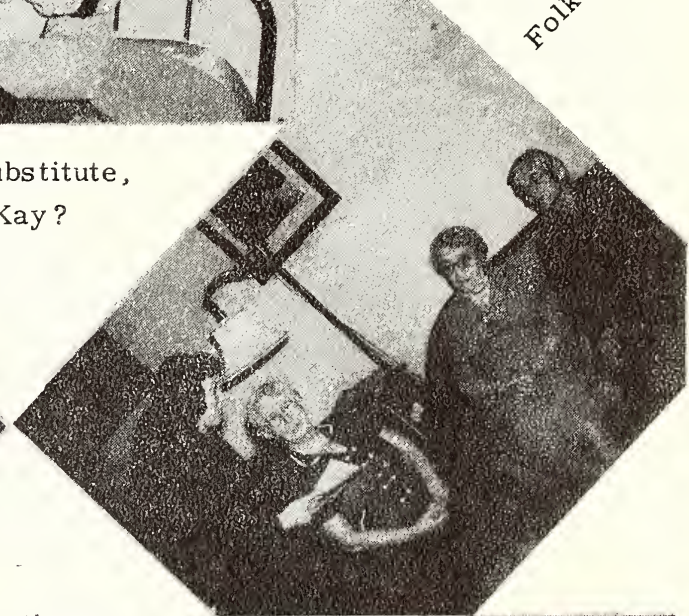
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Making Christmas
spending money



Mary at Old
Folk's Home



Poor substitute,
eh Kay?



Here's the one
Arch wrote to Santa

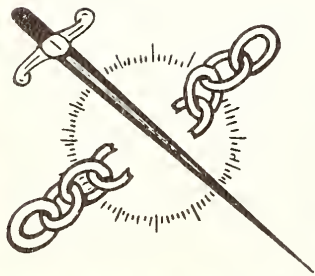


Almost drained dry

Patsy tries for a "20"



Preaching God's Word - man's highest calling,
Seeing souls saved - our greatest delight.
So with God's calling - I must be going,
To preach the gospel - the Gospel of Light.



LITERARY

Eating, Drinking, & Forgetting

"God brought the Children of Israel out that He might bring them in..." For many years the Children of Israel were slaves for the Egyptians and now they cried unto God who answered, "I have heard thy prayers, I have seen thy tears and am come down to deliver thee." Working through Moses, God led them out of Egypt, across the Red Sea, through the wilderness, and up to the border of the Promised Land. Then they disobeyed and failed, and as a result were sent back to the wilderness to roam and finally die...

Now at the end of forty long years, with the unfaithful fathers dead, we find the younger generation getting ready to march to the Promised Land. Before they start, however, Moses briefly rehearses the story of God's promise to them, and in Deuteronomy 6:10-12 we hear a most solemn warning: "And it shall be, when the Lord thy God shall have brought thee into the land which he swore unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildest not, - And houses full of all good things which thou fillest not, and wells digged, which thou diggest not, vineyards and olive trees which thou plantest not; when thou shalt have eaten and be full; Then beware lest thou forget the Lord, which brought thee forth out of the land of Egypt, from the house of Bondage."

The Children were going to a land prepared for them, and Moses said, "When you go in there and drink from the wells you did not dig, and eat of the food of the land, remember...when you have eaten and are full, **DO NOT FORGET GOD.**" But we see it was not very long until the people whom God led out and brought in, had eaten and were full and were gone after other gods, were intermarrying....in other words....**THEY WERE FORGETTING GOD.**

After Jesus ascended into heaven, great persecution threatened to cause the church to become extinct; then Constantine, in A.D. 312, by imperial decree, lifted the ban against Christians. Over night Christianity became a semi-political institution. Church and State were united. The little mustard plant had become a great tree with the birds of the air lodging in its branches. What is the story? These Christians began to eat and drink **AND FORGET....** They soon took in heathen practices etc., until the Church became corrupt. Yes, they had eaten and were now full, gone was the persecution, gone all care and worry - it was then that they began to forget.

Then in more recent times we have Luther, Calvin, Zwingli, Knox and many others who broke off from the Mother Church after being prompted by the Holy Spirit, and formed churches that worshipped God in Spirit and in Truth. There followed great persecution and many of these people suffered martyrdom for preaching what they believed. But, Friend, there came a time when the ban was lifted and these churches worshipped freely - this is when they began to eat and drink..., then they became full, then, sad to say, they forgot God.

Now God has raised up another People, namely the Pentecostal movement. This movement had its beginning in Canada in the year 1906 in the month of November, in the city of Toronto. Now, this movement has swept across the entire Dominion of Canada. Why? Because men and women are hungry for God. The Pioneers of this movement worked hard, faced bitter trials, heartaches, disappointments and often times persecution, but they faithfully worked for God until today we are recognized as one of the fastest growing denominations. Yes, in this modern age we are free from persecution and are recognized people. We are growing fast - becoming in many respects popular. The early pioneers made it possible for us to enjoy the things we do today: truly we are eating of the food we did not prepare, we are drinking from wells we did not dig, let me add as Moses did, "When thou shalt have eaten and art full, then **BEWARE LEST THOU FORGET GOD.**"



On Inward Battles

Have you ever wondered if the earth rolls and erupts as the wounded spirit of man? Does the hardened tissue of granite, like the soul, rent and ply as wrought by evil powers, bent on destruction? Can the steel-gripped lava spill forth, spue, and bubble as turbulent caldrons and yet not mirror the war within the breast? Millions of shekels of gold, uniting on a pin point, could hardly measure the depths and woes painted in living pictures within the bosom of man. Strife, conflict, endless grinding and surging, can find no harbour of rest within the fickle frame. Must there always be ruination of spirit? Must the fatiguing wrestle continue till eternity? Where is deliverance?

Could not the soul lift high its head and rejoice in life and in the beauty of existing? Could not the homo find solace within himself? Nay, for the withering blast blows from within. The spirit can never refresh the barren wastes of innermost self. Where is deliverance?

Does the orbit expand to the outer regions? Does the sun from without lighten the darkness within? Does complete release lay dormant in others? It could not be so, for external favour of flesh and blood does rise and wane as the slinking moon.... showing forth his silver rays for but a season, and then running coward-like behind the horizon.

There must be some greater way, some deeper solution, some brighter star, some more wonderful sphere. The deliverance is outside, yet reaching inside, external, yet filling to the bottom of our fathomless spirit. Yes, 'tis here we have found the key. 'Tis here we have found the priceless treasure! 'Tis here we have found a resting place! 'Tis God!

Battles? The answer? From the mouth of ancient Paul, like ripples of peace across the sea of life, it flows... For me to live is Christ!

Earl Waugh-Third Year
"The Old Philosopher"



TO QUOTE BROTHER GREENWOOD

Some Christians are like wheel-barrows--

---no good unless pushed.

Some Christians are like canoes--

---they need to be paddled.

A few are like kites--

---if you don't keep a string on them,
they fly away.

Some are like kittens--

---contented only when they are petted.

Some are like trailers--

---no good unless pulled.

Then, some Christians are filled with the Spirit of God.

---Thank the Lord for these!

In which category are you?

Spiritual Indifference - In A Religious World

"Awake to Righteousness." I Cor. 15:34.

This world abounds with religion. The system of this twentieth century has a "form of Godliness" but "denies the power thereof." Civilized countries are recognized as Christian but, sad to say, only in name - as a religion.

Godless, unregenerate stars of the entertainment world have lulled the masses into a false sense of spiritual security by singing hymns and spiritual songs, and bidding the people God's blessing. Salvation according to modern thought, in this "religion-conscious" Western world, is to do good to thy neighbour and obey the golden rule. As a result of this damnable philosophy, the idea prevails that all are Christians.

Indifference in every phase of life is a characteristic of the closing hours of this dispensation. To be "indifferent" is to be "unconcerned".

In the natural realm we find the majority of people today quite unconcerned about the scientific advances of the enemy. As a blind man without a cane, on the edge of a precipice, they seem to be unaware of the potential tragedy. Men have more interest in their own pursuits than the international situation upon which their ultimate survival depends.

However, to be indifferent to potential destruction in the physical, temporal sphere is insignificant in the light of spiritual indifference, which results in the eternal separation of the soul from God.

Spiritually speaking in the light of eternity, there is basically two kinds of indifference.

First, there is the person who hears the gospel message, yet rejects God's salvation, showing no interest or concern about the eternal destiny of the soul. Many today are content to enjoy the pleasures and ease of modern living, eating and drinking, being indifferent to the need of their souls.

The second kind of spiritual indifference is found prevalent in the true church today. Many Christians are so busy in their own pursuits that they are "found wanting" when weighed in God's spiritual balance. To the spiritually indifferent child of God, Paul warns, "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation". Again speaking of the conditions in the last days he says, "The love of many shall wax cold." Being neither "cold nor hot", the Laodiceans were indifferent to their spiritual need.

Satan is doing his best to defeat the purpose of God. He is helpless to destroy the soul after physical death. However, when Satan has succeeded in getting the child of God into a state of spiritual indifference, he is victorious.

May we not give occasion for rejoicing in the kingdom of darkness by our attitude, but ever be "awake to righteousness".

John Charter

PRAYER

Prayer is the Key with the bending knee,
That opens the Morn's first hours;
See the incense rise to the starry skies,
Like perfume from the flowers.

It has been stated that "Prayer is the key to the resources of Heaven, and that faith turns the key." This statement has been proven by men of God down through the years. They agree that prayer and faith must be used together in order to obtain the desired results.

The influence and achievement of any person in the work of God will depend very greatly on his firsthand knowledge of the Unseen World. So we should learn early in our Christian life, that it is impossible to walk closely with God without continuous communion with Him.

The following suggestions are prayerfully offered to those hungry for a victorious Christian life.

HAVE A DEFINITE PRAYER-TIME EACH DAY - Periods of prayer at morning, noon and evening have proven a great source of strength for men of God through the centuries. The Psalmist cried, "In the morning will I order my prayer unto Thee." Jesus went to the place of prayer on many occasions, a great while before it was day. So we, with others, have proven that it is indeed a good thing to start our day in fellowship with our Heavenly Father, and to walk in the shadow of His presence all through the day.

LEARN TO CONCENTRATE - Learn to fix your mind on heavenly thoughts, even amid confusion. This is an art that can be developed by all, which will prove to be a great blessing in the Christian walk.

PRAY ALOUD IF YOUR THOUGHTS ARE TEMPTED TO WANDER - Prayer is not limited to posture, time or expression of the lips. It is, however, the attitude of the heart towards God. Men of God have found in audible prayer a means of making more real their fellowship with their Heavenly Father. Jesus sometimes prayed aloud. We should adopt the method that best satisfies our own spiritual hunger.

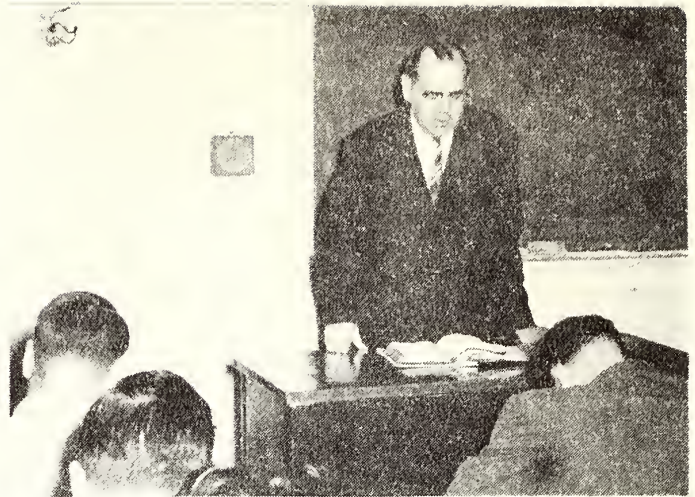
BE WILLING TO AGONIZE IN PRAYER - The Word of God declares that Jesus our Saviour prayed with costly intensity in the Garden of Gethsemane. We should never trifle in prayer. We should come into His presence with definite requests, and expect definite answers.

BE CAREFUL OF YOUR ATTITUDE - Man the creature may impute to himself some good such as substance, life, knowledge, and power, or he may take the attitude, "I give up this; I fast often; I will do everything to attain perfection." Such a person, though perhaps honest in intent, is definitely astray.

According to the written Word of God, a life pleasing to the Father in Heaven is obtained only through absolute devotion and surrender to Him, and through the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit.

We should be more than careful of our motive, lest we draw near to God and find present in our hearts the disposition of covetousness: "I must have this for myself; I must be right with God for my own sake." Such an attitude will sap the energy from our devotion, and will eventually rend our souls to despair.

Our prayer should be, "Lord, let me be poured out as a drink-offering before Thy face, and as an intercessor for souls that are lost in sin's dark night. Lord, teach me to pray!





PENTECOST

What is your first thought upon seeing this title? Is it of a denomination of present day believers or does your mind flash back through the centuries to the one hundred and twenty assembled in the upper room? Perhaps you think of it as a Jewish feast day which has been observed since the time of Moses. "Pentecost" to me is more than a Jewish feast or a denomination or even the initial outpouring of the Holy Ghost - it is a vital experience which is necessary in the Christian life today.

Pentecost, to the Jew, is a feast which commemorates the giving of the law from Mount Sinai, fifty days after the "Exodus". To Moses this was a blessed experience with God; but the people feared greatly at the thunder and fire, and could not come near the mountain. Fifteen hundred years later, on the feast day, a great noise was heard, fire was seen, supernatural utterances in foreign tongues were given. People were attracted en-masse and three thousand received the message of a risen Christ, repented, were baptized and became recipients of the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Pentecost, as an up-to-date movement, has grown phenomenally in the fifty short years of its history. The estimated total number of adherents in the world now stands at sixteen million. With the Psalmist, I would say, "O sing unto the Lord a new song; for he hath done marvellous things." Psalm 98:1.

Before the age of grace, mankind made sacrifices of certain animals unto God. These offerings became a sweet smelling savour unto Jehovah while the fire was consuming them. If we obey Paul's admonition and present our bodies a living sacrifice; our lives, having the consuming fire of a daily Pentecost, will also be pleasing to the nostrils of God. The Spirit of God as fire, melts the heart, separates and burns up the impurities, and kindles a burning desire to see souls saved.

I close with these few verses from an old hymn by George Bernard, writer of "The Old Rugged Cross."

"In the Book of God so precious
We are told of Pentecost
How the blessed Lord's disciples,
Tarried for the Holy Ghost.

Pentecostal fire fell on them,
Burning up their sin and dross,
Filling them with power for service,
Making them a mighty host.



David Mainse

Decisions Determine Destiny

There is only one life. It will soon be past and only what's done for Christ will last. How very important it is to keep this tremendous statement in mind as one is faced with the decision of choosing his or her life's vocation.

This decision comes to all at one time or another. There are many factors to be taken into consideration, as this all-important step will exert a tremendous influence on the shaping and moulding of our character and preparing us to live a happy, useful, and satisfying life. It is a decision which will determine our destiny!

As normal healthy young people, we are filled with an enthusiasm and ambition to climb the ladder of success, aiming to reach the very highest pinnacle of achievement. However, do we let our ambition and zeal crowd out the still small voice of God with his directing guidance on our lives?

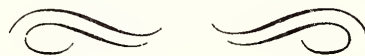
It appears as though the greatest problems and inner conflicts arise when we place our selfish wills in the pre-eminent place, rejecting the path which God has chosen for us. The true reality of living will never be achieved until the realization is reached that, regardless of the role in life we decide to play, all is futile unless, "we will to do the will of Christ".

We must have an aim in life. Let us consider for a moment the aim of Paul the Apostle when he said, "But this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. Phil. 3:13.

What a calling is ours! Imagine, our high calling in Christ Jesus. This is the factor which should guide and control our decisions. Actually in summing it all up, there is but one vocation we may choose for our lives. That is to Live Christ.

As we make this vital decision to Live Christ, and walk in His paths, willing to follow where He may lead, we can eagerly face the future unwavering and unafraid, not racked by indecision nor confusion, but confident that we have made the right decision in determining our Destiny.

Ethel Barrie (First Year)



Jesus My All

Jesus is The Morning Star that has shone upon my way,
Dispensing sin and sadness, turning night to golden day.

Jesus is my Saviour, He has cleansed my heart from sin,
I possess a joy unending, and a settled peace within.

Jesus is my Captain Who has complete control,
He will lead me safely to a perfect goal.

Jesus is my Coming King Who shall return for me,
That in His peaceful Haven, there also I may be.



Rev. D.A. Emmons
"The Aim of the Gospel"



Rev. W.B. Greenwood
"The Week of Prayer"

-CHAPEL

Rev. R.A. Bombay
"How to Conduct Oneself"



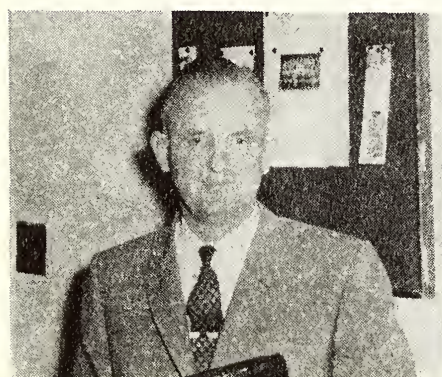
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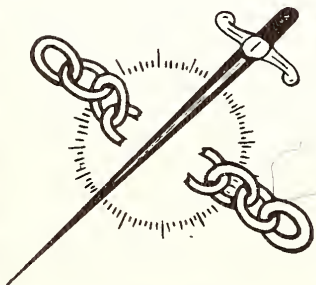
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"Our Responsibility"





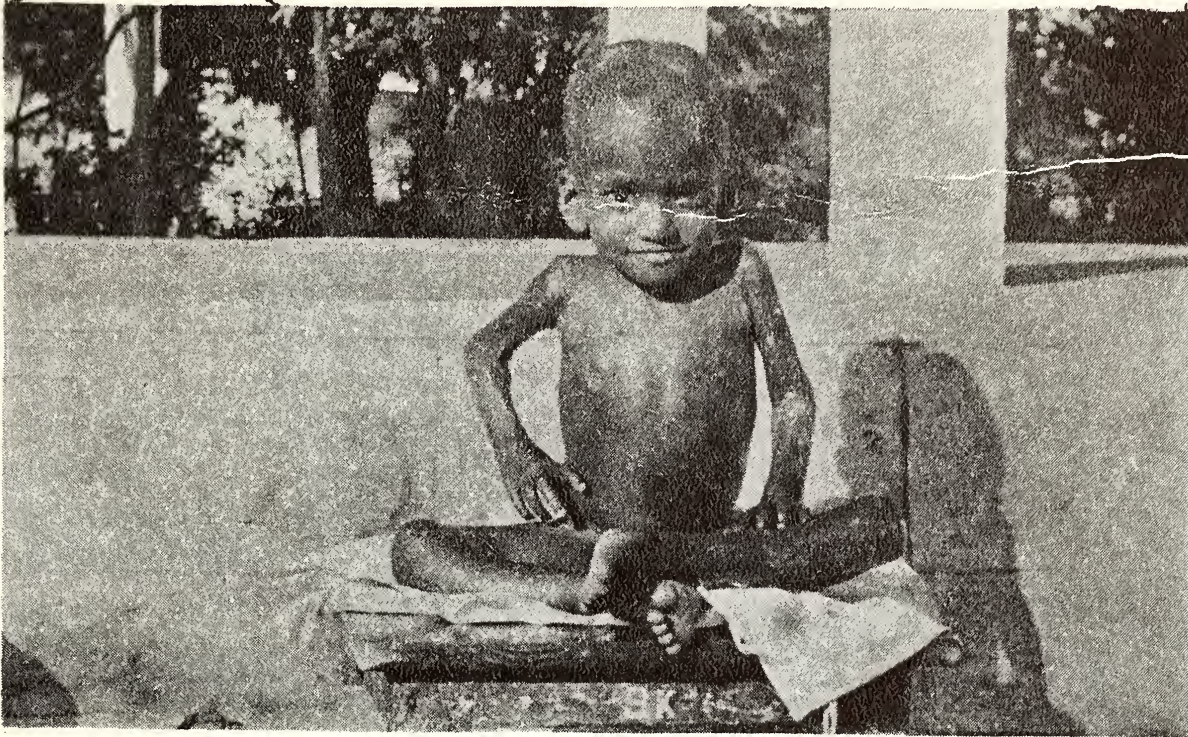
Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields,
-for they are white already to harvest.

Luke 16:15



Harvest time, harvest time,
The Savior's calling, the grain is falling.
O do not wait, it's growing late.
Behold, the fields are white; it's harvest time.

PRAYER BANDS



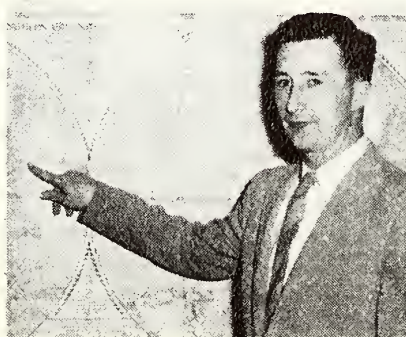
IT'S TIME TO PRAY - - - - THEY NEED YOUR PRAYERS TOO!

From the harvest fields of the World comes the cry of those in need----- will you help them?

The prayer bands of E.P.B.C. pray weekly for those in need of Christ everywhere. Wherever man is found, in the homeland, or on foreign soil, our prayers ascend to God for all mankind. It is a great privilege to pray for others. Sacrificial prayer produces untold joy and eternal rewards.

Apart from the main purpose of these bands which is prayer, there are many projects in effect as a result of the offerings received. One of the projects, for example, is the support of a gospel radio broadcast in Japan, which is made possible as each prayer band contributes to this worthy cause.

The Macedonian call of Paul's vision is still the same today. We all cannot go or give but we can do our part on bended knees. Satan realizes his time is short, and is doing his utmost to thwart the purpose of God. The doors to missionary service are fast closing. What is to be done for Christ must be done now, 'ere it is too late.



T. Eastridge

Convener



*Africa's Need
Our Opportunity.*

Leader-
CALVIN MORGAN

Africa

"Africa's Need, Our Opportunity."

The "Dark Continent" as it is called, stirred David Livingstone, Henry Stanley, Mary Slessor and scores of others. This year our hearts have been stirred too, as we prayed for this vast country with its population of an estimated 170,000,000 peoples.

The native religion of Africa is a species of Animism or spirit worship. A religion that is energized by Satan. The Satanic fear of the power of witch-craft has driven the black man to all kinds of ugly crimes.

Into this dark land has gone seventy-one of our missionaries and their families; forty in British East Africa, two in Mozambique, ten in Southern Rhodesia, thirteen in South Africa, and six in Liberia. The majority of P.A.O.C. missionaries are labouring on African soil.

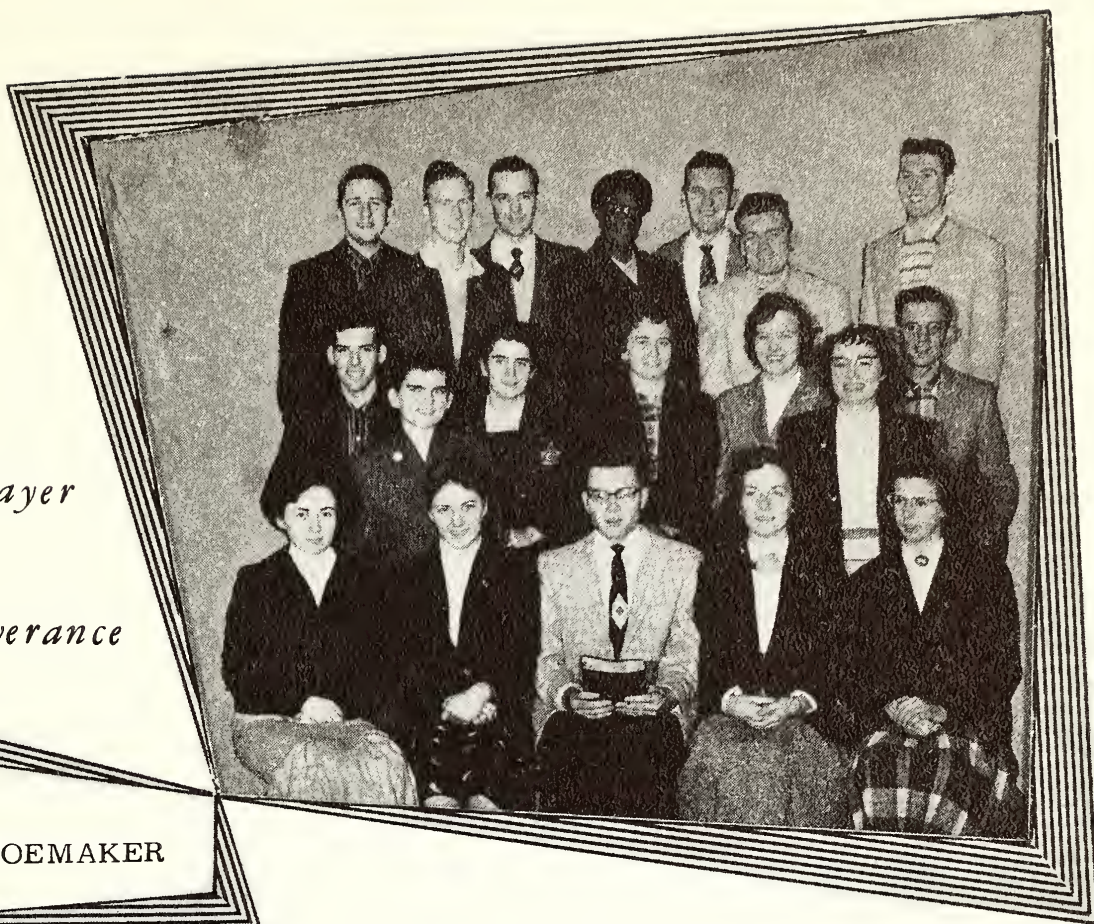
In our Prayer Band this year, we hope to raise Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars. Fifty dollars of this will be given as a scholarship to one of the top students in Kenya Bible College. Christmas boxes were sent to E.P.B.C. graduates now on the field.

The main purpose of our Prayer Band is prayer. This we believe to be most vital and effective. It is on bended knees that we learn the real value of a "never-dying soul." It is there that we realize the true sense of our motto, "Africa's Need, Our Opportunity".

It is our desire that as Africa's need is presented, that God's call, whether it is to give, to go, or to pray, will come to you with unquestionable clarity.

*Steadfast
in Prayer
Strong
in Deliverance*

Leader -
HERB SHOEMAKER



B.W.I. & South America

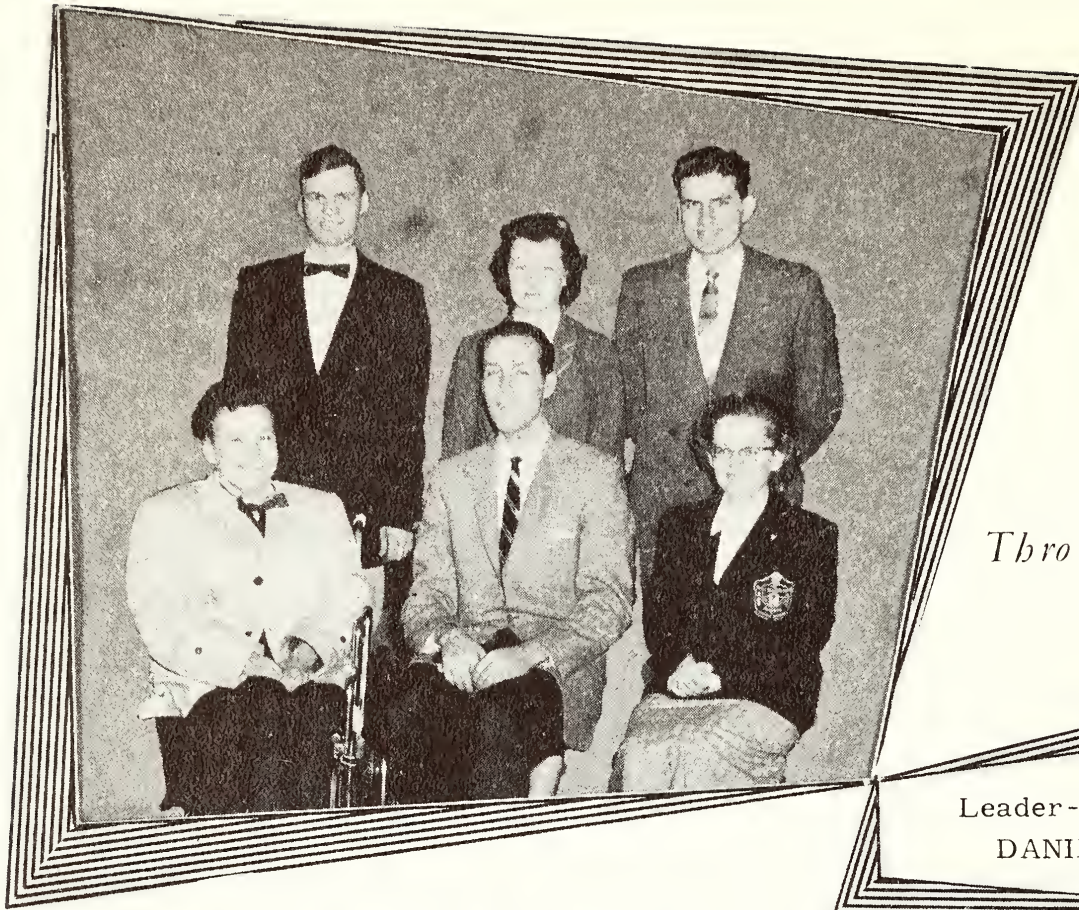
From some 30,000 islands in the British West Indies, both large and small, comes a great challenge. With a population of 14 million, there is a great need in this whitened harvest field. Only twenty missionaries plus native workers cover this population leaving the opportunity to labour for God unlimited.

The darkness of the heathen religions so prevalent in these areas, has been penetrated extensively in a few of the larger islands such as Trinidad, Barbados, Montserrat, Antigua and Grenada.

Converted, trained, consecrated native workers are being sent forth to carry the gospel to the smaller islands.

The other land of our interest is that great continent of South America. Here the need is just as great. With ten missionaries plus graduates from the Bible College in City Belle, Argentina, the message of deliverance is being preached to the masses in bondage "with signs following."

Our offerings which we pray will exceed two hundred dollars this year are being used for this missionary cause. Donations and a scholarship for a worthy student in each of the Bible Colleges are examples of our projects. As we pray and help by giving, won't you join us?



*Conquering
Through Prayer*

Leader -
DANIEL POIRIER

French Canada & Europe

Can French Canada and Europe be conquered for Christ? We believe so for two reasons: First, because God being the God of all flesh is just as anxious to have the peoples in this field come to know him as He is the English-speaking nations. Second, we believe our God is able to break the fetters of Roman Catholicism in French Canada and restore to the peoples of Europe, who are suppressed by Communism, religious liberty.

With this conviction in our hearts, we have set about to do all possible within our power to help bring the message of Jesus Christ to these areas. We represent approximately 5,000,000 French Canadians who have never heard the gospel, and many more millions of Europeans who have no freedom of worship or access to the Scriptures.

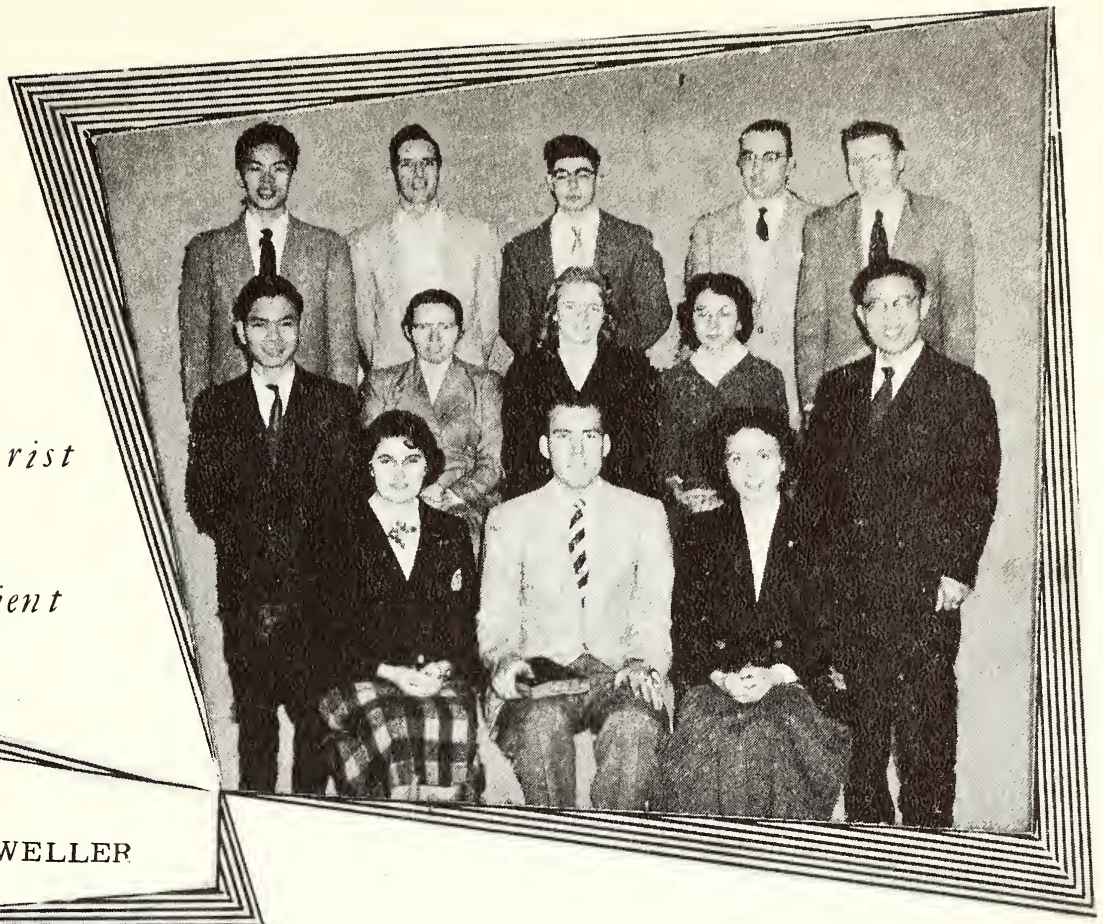
Each Tuesday afternoon we gather as a group to pray on their behalf. Also, we have undertaken several projects to assist in this great work, which include financial aid to the Montreal Christian Academy (Protestant Day School), Bibles for Europe, and a one-year subscription to the Pentecostal Testimony for our pioneer workers throughout French-Canada.

We are praying and believing that God will stir others to lend their support, not only financially, but also in making themselves available for active service.

Pray with us, won't you?

*A Living Christ
- For
A Dying Orient*

Leader-
JAMES WELLER



China & Japan

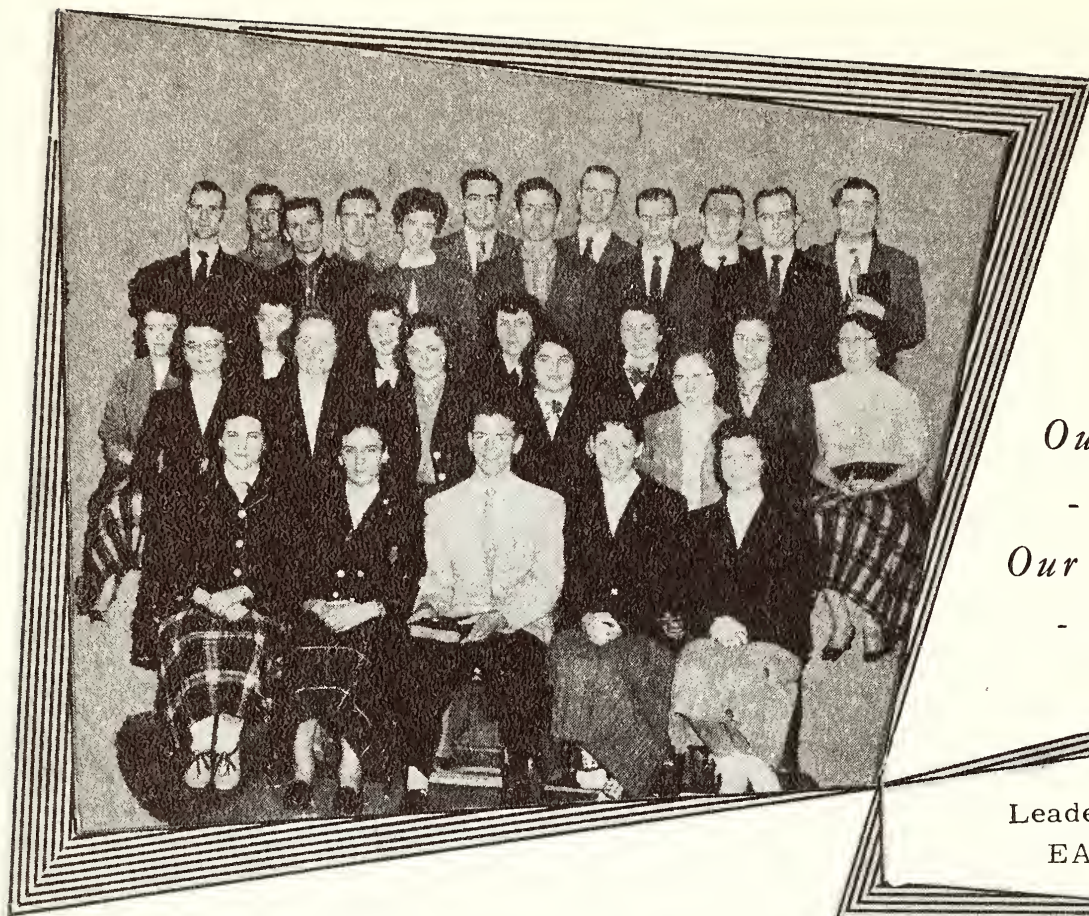
I must work the works of Him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh when no man can work. John 9:4.

The Master's cry brings to our attention the challenging fact "the night is coming when no man can work", so it impells us to herald forth His redeeming message now.

With this in mind our prayer band goes to its knees in intercessory prayer every Tuesday afternoon for the multitudes still in darkness. Correspondence by mail to the P.A.O.C. missionaries on the field tells us of the needs and describes the urgent requests for prayer.

Each week we receive an offering to help the work on the field financially. We sent Christmas gifts to several of our oriental workers and a fifty dollar scholarship to each of our Bible Colleges located in Japan and Hong Kong, China. With the remaining money we met some of the other small needs of the missionaries. Last year our band of fourteen members gave approximately One Hundred and Fifty Dollars and we hope to give a similar amount this year.

The missionary enterprise is not the church's afterthought but rather it is Christ's forethought. Believing this to be the veritable truth, the China-Japan Prayer Band goes to its knees in prayer. Will you not join with us in presenting a "living Christ to a dying Orient"?



Our Motive
 - *God's Love*
Our Objective
 - *Men's Souls*

Leader-
 EARL YOUNG

Home & Jewish

Each Tuesday afternoon during this year, thirty-five students have been privileged to gather in the sweetness of God's presence. Here they lifted their voices in prayers, intercessions and giving of thanks. Our prayers have been for God's own chosen people, the Jews, and for the precious souls of men here in the homeland.

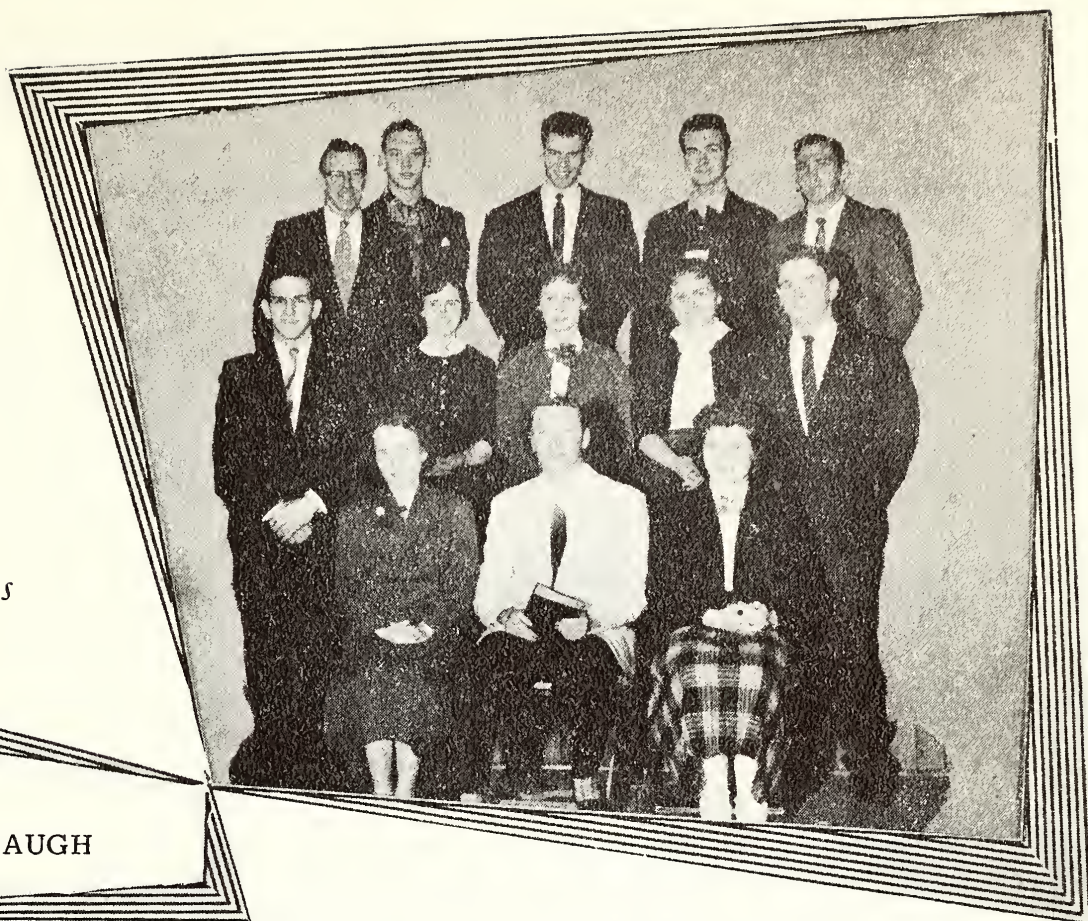
Included in our prayers have been petitions for our Pastors, Evangelists, and revival campaigns as well as numerous requests for individuals who needed salvation, encouragement, or God's healing touch. We have been thrilled to hear the reports and testimonies of how God has answered prayer.

Prayer has not been the only avenue of service in which the students have exercised themselves but they have also given of their finances to spread the gospel tidings. Through their giving, the prayer band members have been able to send 15 subscriptions of the Readers Digest to home mission workers across Canada; Christmas parcels to workers in the Northland and Labrador; week-end assignments to pioneer works, and a gift to the Toronto Jewish Mission.

We praise God for what He has accomplished through the Home & Jewish Prayer Band this year.

*Prayer
Illuminates
The Darkness*

Leader-
EARL WAUGH



India & Asia

Fourteen praying students gather every Tuesday to carry these great lands before the throne of grace. Our prayers rise for lands steeped in mysticism and superstition. It is a tremendous task.

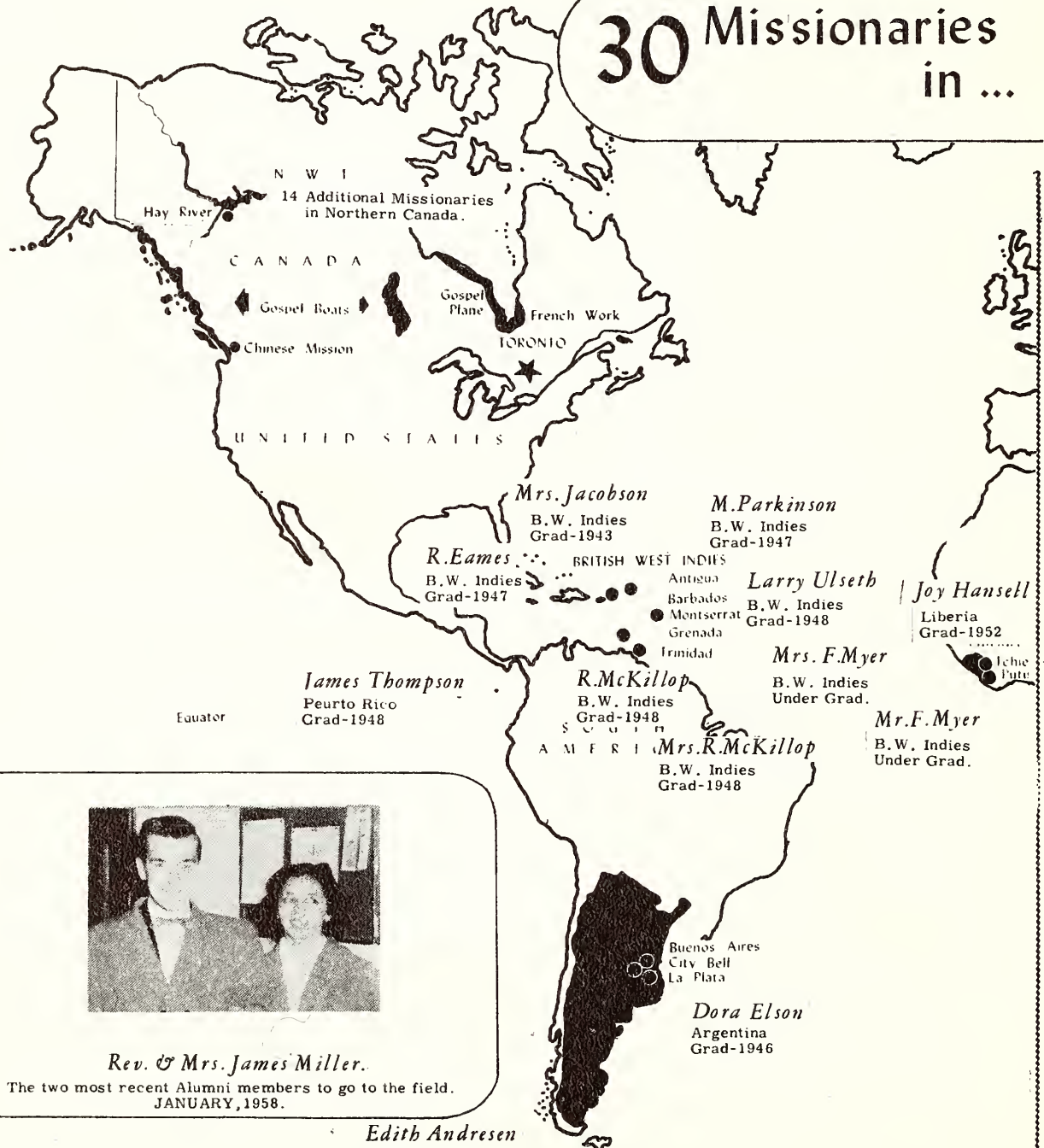
Since there are no missionaries in these fields sponsored by the P.A.O.C. all the workers are sent and supported by the Assemblies of God in the U.S.A. There are several Canadian missionaries who have gone to this part of the vineyard, under the American Missions Department.

We have set as an objective in our giving, one hundred and fifty dollars. With this amount we hope to aid in purchasing a piece of equipment for a missionary in the islands of Borneo and Java as well as help support a gospel radio broadcast.

With the missionaries in these far-off lands of India and Asia, we join hands in believing prayer that the light would shine in the darkness, bringing liberty to the souls of men.

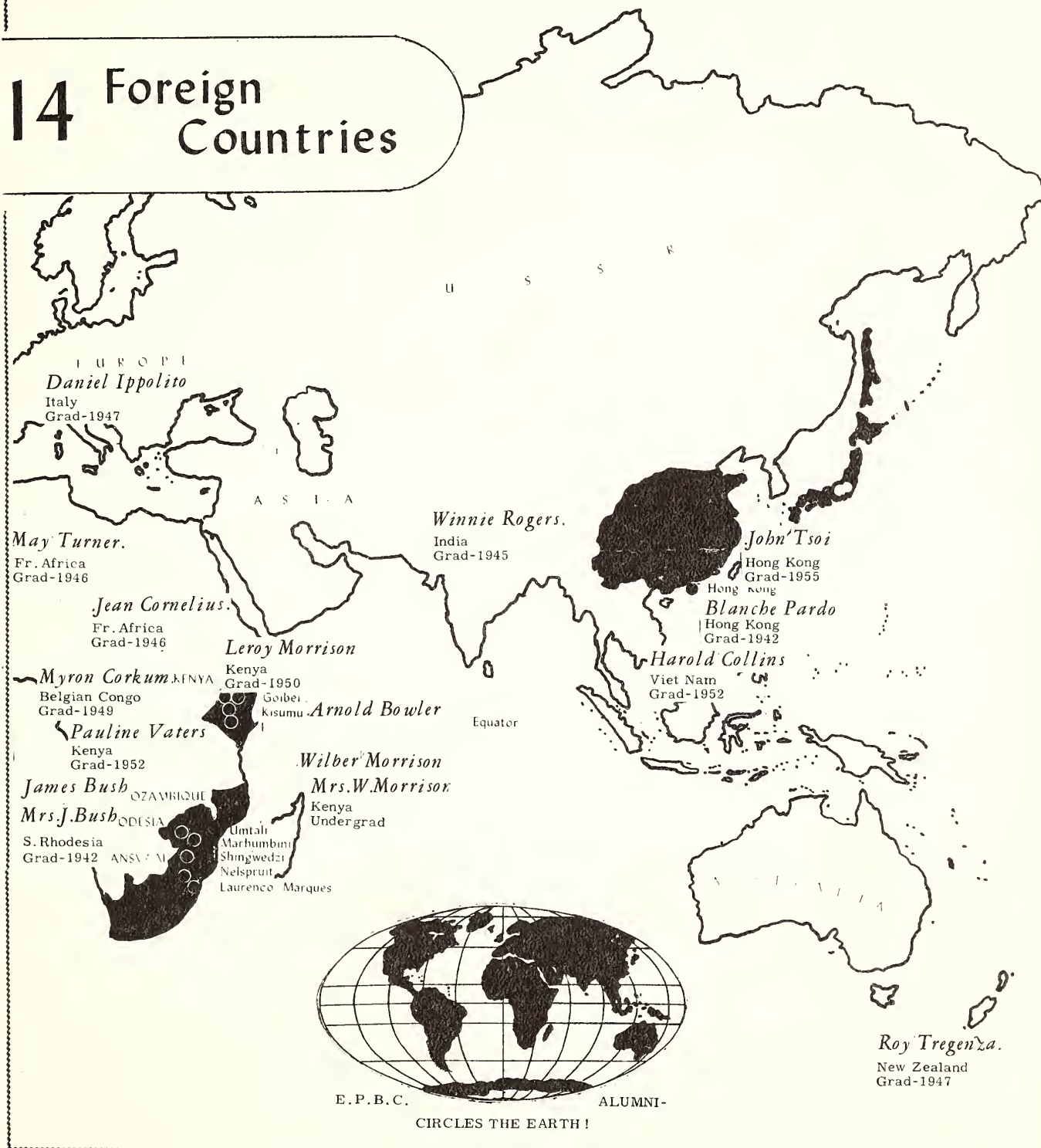
- E. P. B. C. ALUMNI

30 Missionaries
in ...



MISSIONARIES -

14 Foreign Countries



For you to ponder...

LONELINESS AND LEADERSHIP

The leader is the one who keeps ahead. Did you ever see men running a race? The man who keeps ahead has no encouragement. All he has is the weary road. The fellows behind him, the man away behind, try to catch up with the leader, but the loneliest man on the turf is the man who runs ahead or alone.

The loneliest ship on the Atlantic is the ship that sails the fastest. And the loneliest man in your Denomination is the man who sees the vision of what your Denomination could do. And the loneliest missionary in Korea or Japan or Arabia is the man who sees what the others cannot see yet. But -- the price of leadership is always loneliness.

There is a loneliness of the desert, and there is a loneliness of the sea, and there is a loneliness of a great city. But there is no loneliness so great as the loneliness of a great idea that nobody else has caught, and only you can see. To go home to tell the men around you that you believe in the evangelization of the world in this generation: to go home to your church and say that you believe every member in your little church ought to give \$5 a year to foreign missions. Why, they will laugh in your face and say, "Five dollars! We are now giving forty-two cents!" But you can see as clear as a bell that your church could give five dollars per member, and there is your loneliness.

In the darkest hours of this terrible struggle, when Britain stood practically alone, and unprepared for the devastating blow that threatened her, Prime Minister Winston Churchill sat quietly by the microphone in bomb-spattered London, and spoke to the world: and the world listened. Men took courage as they drank in those courageous words. Men were challenged to heroic deeds. Among other things, the Prime Minister said, "I promise you only blood, and toil, and sweat and tears. But in the future I promise you Victory."

How many times, when our cause seems lost, we have heard the Head of the Church speaking to us. He says, "If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily, and follow me." Notice that—"And follow me." Is there any defeat in that way? Can circumstances or powers of darkness frustrate such a Leader, in such a way? Never. "Trust in the Lord with all thy heart, and lean not unto thy own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths."

But there is another angle to this challenge. It is the angle from which the man of the world looks on the Christian life. He often says, "It costs too much for me to consider following Christ." But look with Winston Churchill, into the future; beyond your present favourable outlook on life; beyond the farthest reach of your physical powers, into eternity, which looms as an inevitable certainty, and when you have considered the facts of life fully, you will realize that it costs more, infinitely more, for you to miss Christ, than to follow Him in the way of the cross, and self-abnegation, and service.

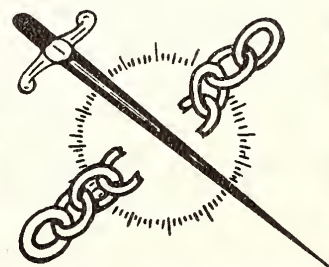
Yours may be the everlasting joy of walking the days, the continents, with Christ. Yours the joy of bringing others to Him; the joy of spending all, and the joy of winning all.

By Dr. Samuel M. Zwemer



Then I Beheld the Work of God. Ecc. 8:17

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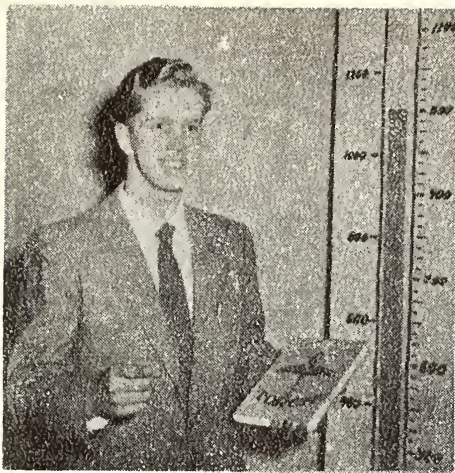
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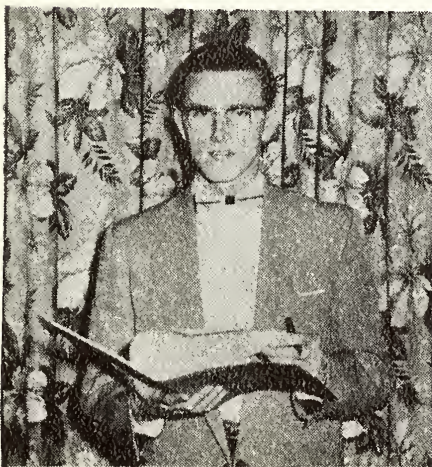


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THE ILLUMINATOR

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The Illuminator News is a monthly publication, edited in the interests of Eastern Pentecostal Bible College.

Its purpose is to portray the various activities of our school for those who have an interest in it and to place articles in the hands of students which will be of benefit to them. God's blessing has rested upon this paper through the years until it now has a mailing list of over 800.

With the help and guidance of the Lord, it is hoped that this paper will continue to grow and be a blessing.

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Week-end Assignments play a large part in the life of E.P.B.C. These groups of students are sent out on the week-ends to the various churches who write in, desiring to have talented young people aid in their services.

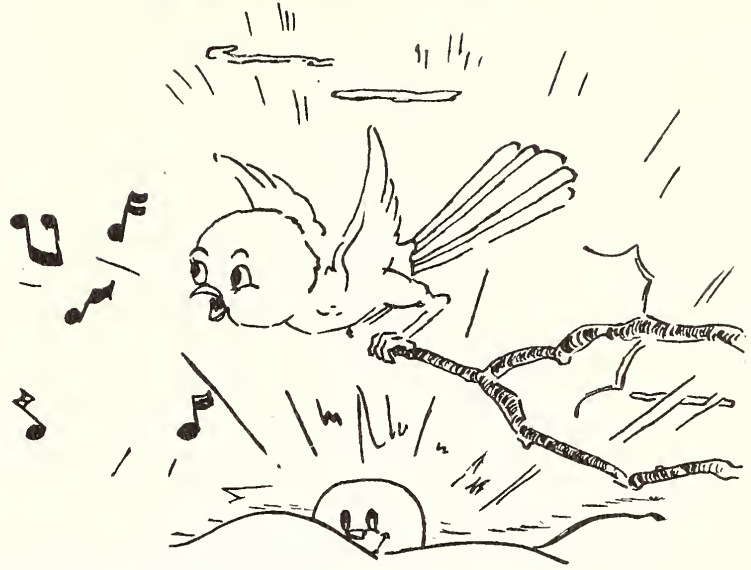
This year there have been over 120 assignments sent out from the College. These groups have travelled approximately 25,000 miles.

The School Car
heads out
for another
weekend assignment





MUSIC



Mrs. C. B. Smith

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THE SCHOOL ORCHESTRA - Directed by Mrs. G. Atter.



THE KING'S
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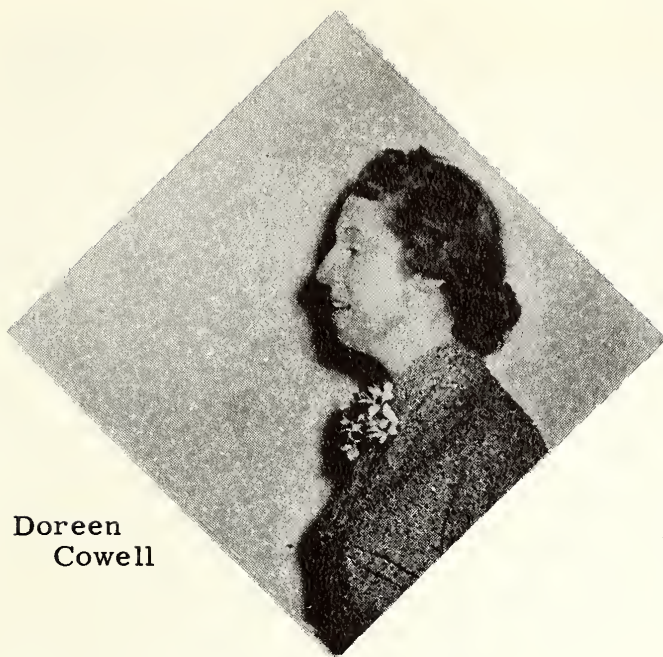
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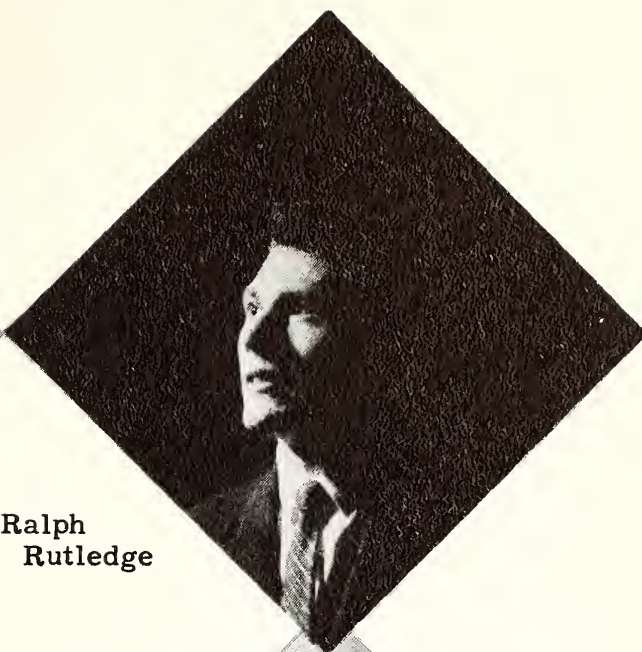
The Graduation
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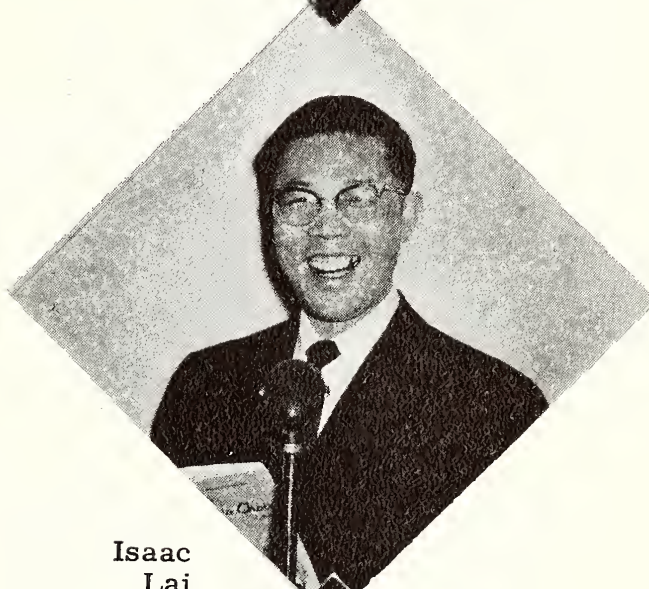


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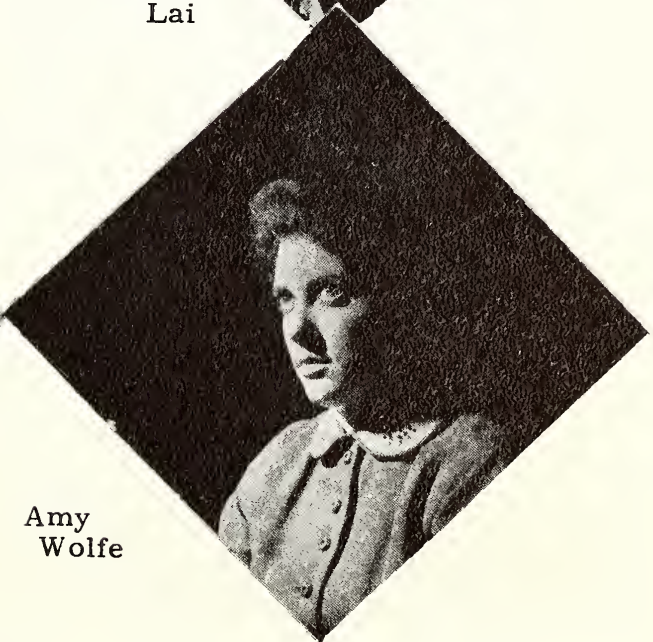
SOLOISTS



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The Revivalaires



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The Royalties



The Harmony Four
Pianist-D. Bursey.



The Gospel Witnesses

TRACTS



Bob Seaboyer, 1st Yr.
Clarence Williams, 2nd Yr.



Herb Shoemaker
Committee Leader

The Tract Committee has distributed approximately 6,000 tracts this year. They also carry the responsibility of Street Meetings in the Fall and Spring.



BIBLE CLUBS



BIBLE CLUB LEADERS

Ethel Barrie
Lydia Pleshko
Ruth Barnewall
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Art Gallagher
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In conjunction with the Sunday School training course, several Bible Clubs are in operation. Much practical experience is gained as the students take their turn in Bible Club work.

In Action



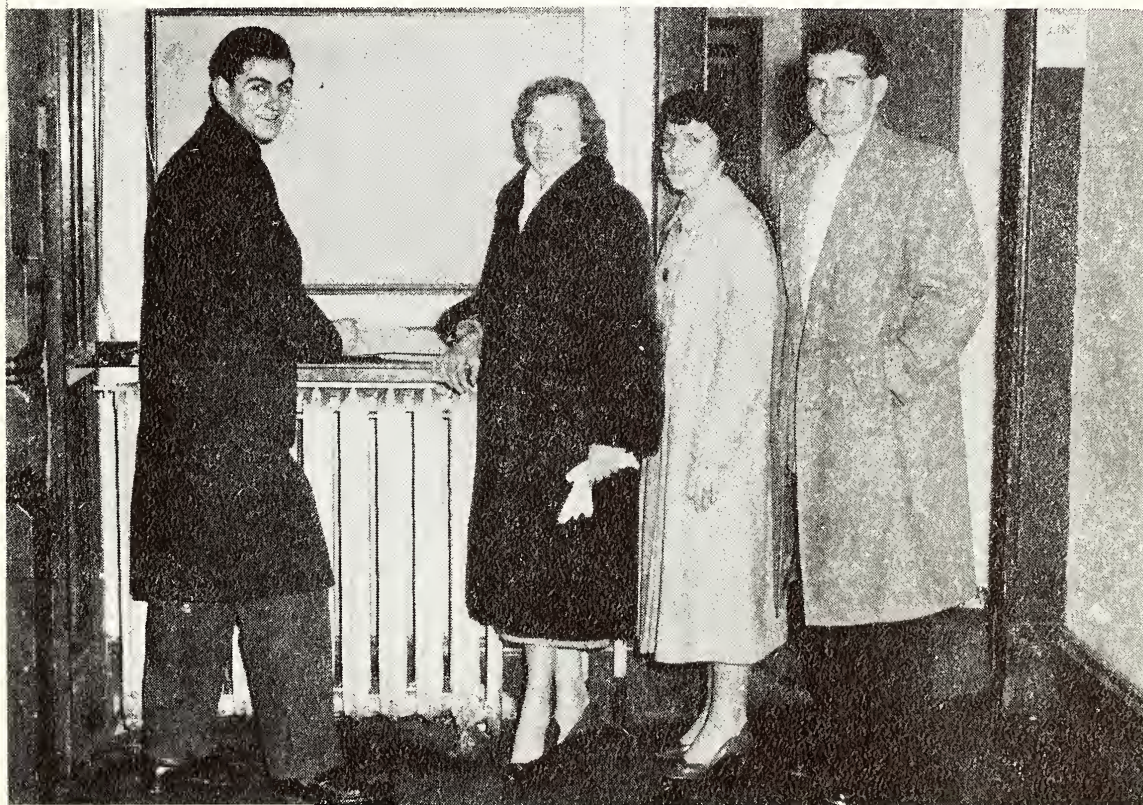
Bible Drills



H E A L T H

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SOCIAL PRIVILEGES



Signing
out



I'm sure hungry

Well that's paid for , Archie



DORMITORY LIFE



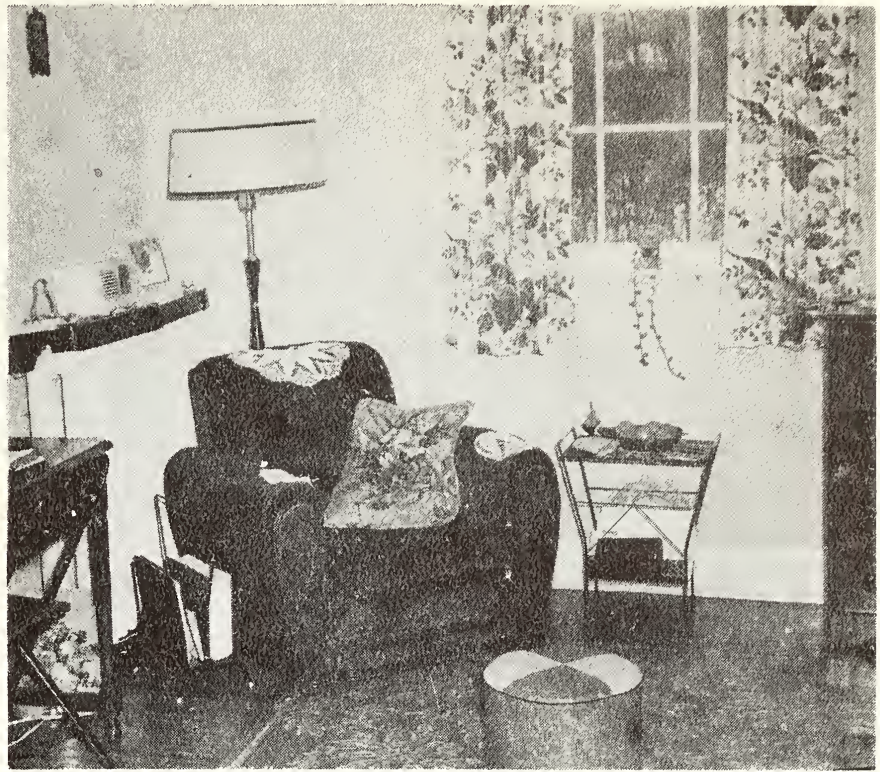
Liquid refreshment for Ray

Newfie's Irish washer woman

RESIDENCE LIFE



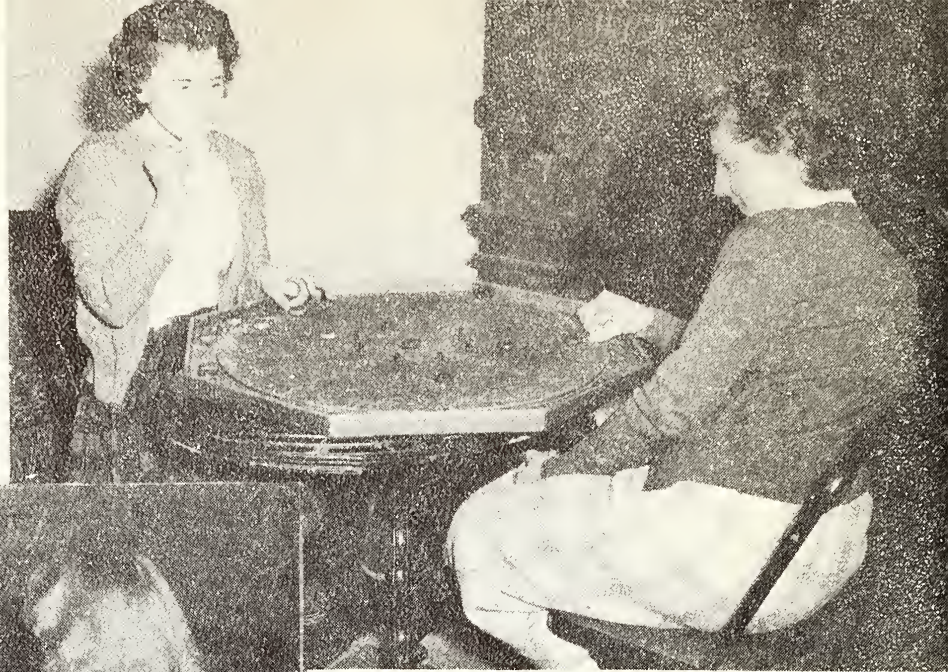
Housewife duties



A typical room - Cal & Jean's



A few of
tomorrow's
preacher's kids



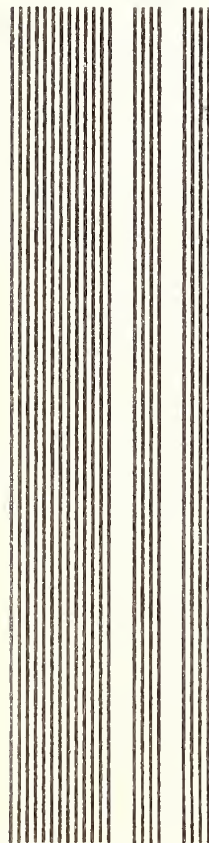
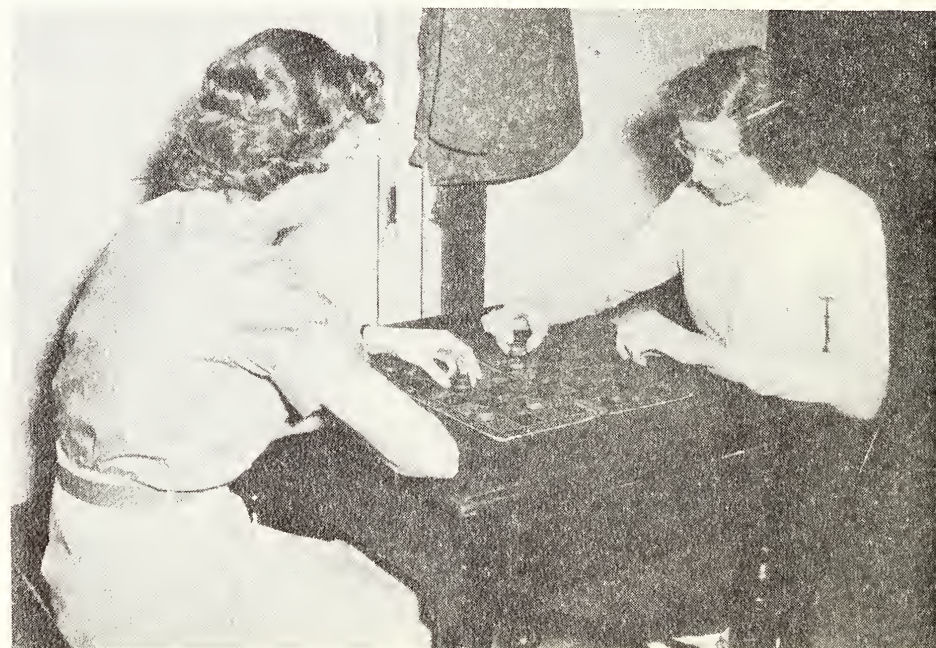
Ann awaits her shot



RECREATION

Joannie's away ahead

Marilyn's got a king





every sport opens in prayer

SPORTS



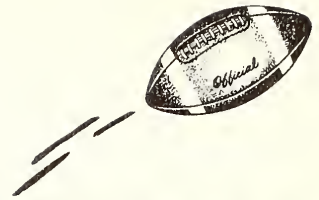
Liberator's power line

Young's in....He shoots, and.....





Ken calls the signals



Hold that line....men?

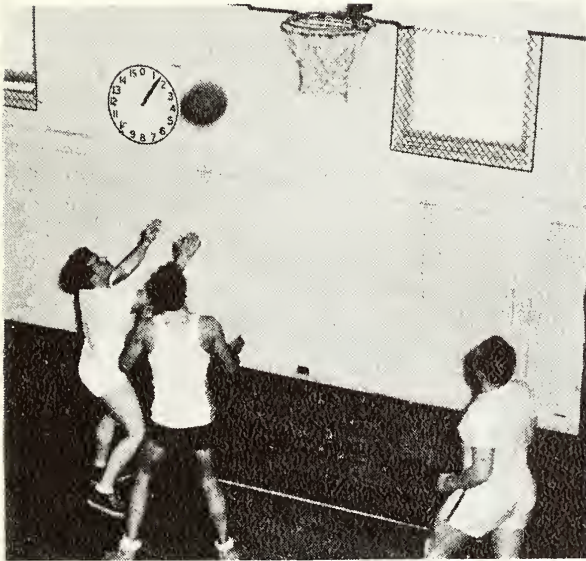


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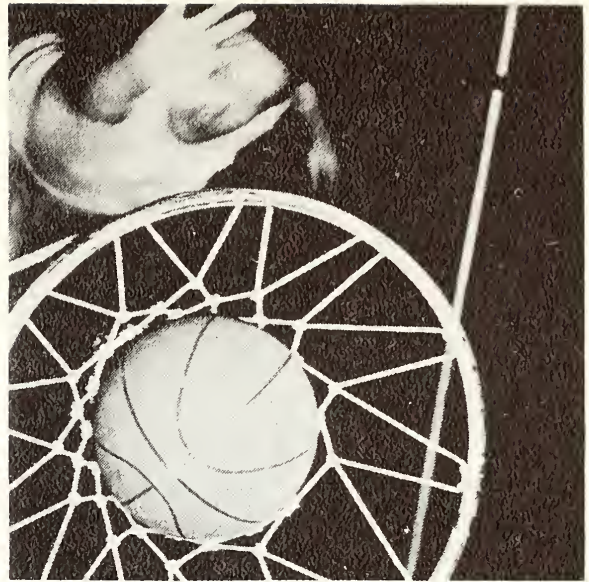


Strike two - ball one



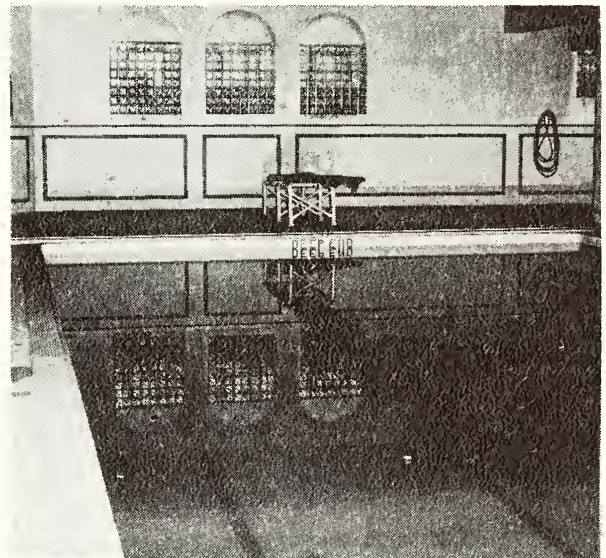


Donnan tries his luck again. . . .



This isn't Sputnik.

Let George do it.



Leave us not go off the Deep End.



DUTIES ...



Ruth and Elna are learning now

Ralph's wife taught him

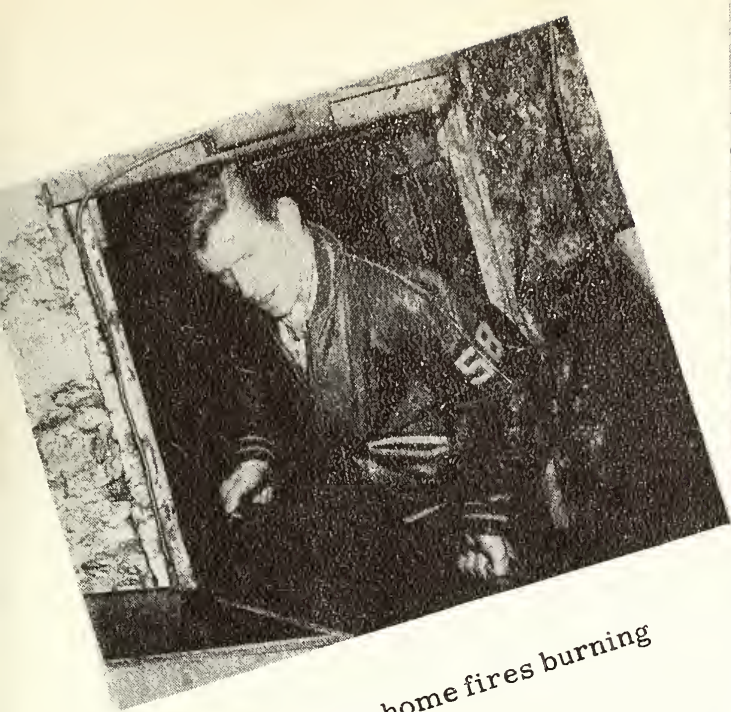


Fred visualizes army life

Each student is required to do one hour's duty during the day. Practical experience is gained and a family spirit created as all do their share of the daily chores.



Mary singing while she works



Dave's keeping the home fires burning



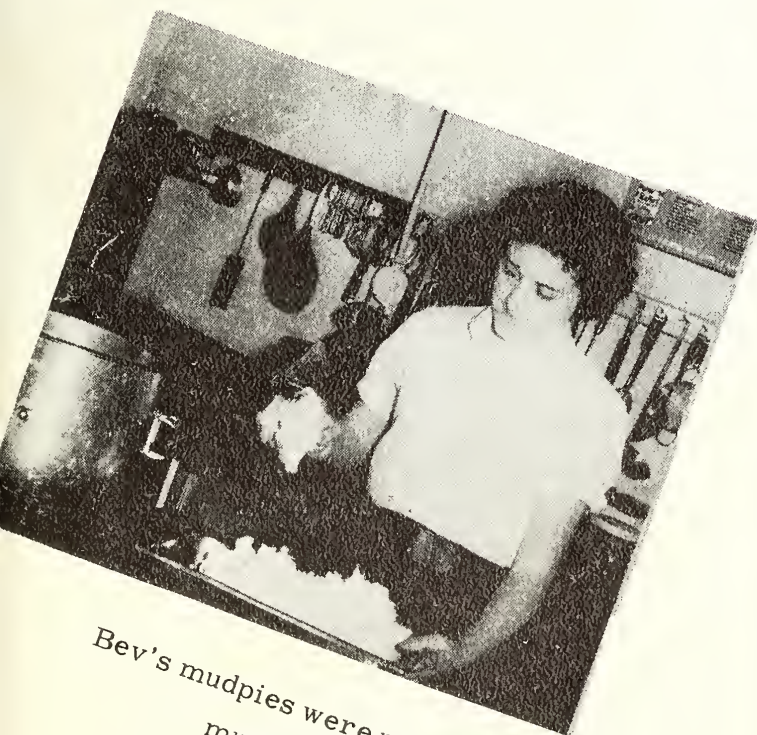
Will make some fellas good wives

Maurice's favorite pastime

... FOR ALL



Ken keeping korners kleen



Bev's mudpies were never this
much fun



Wedding Bells



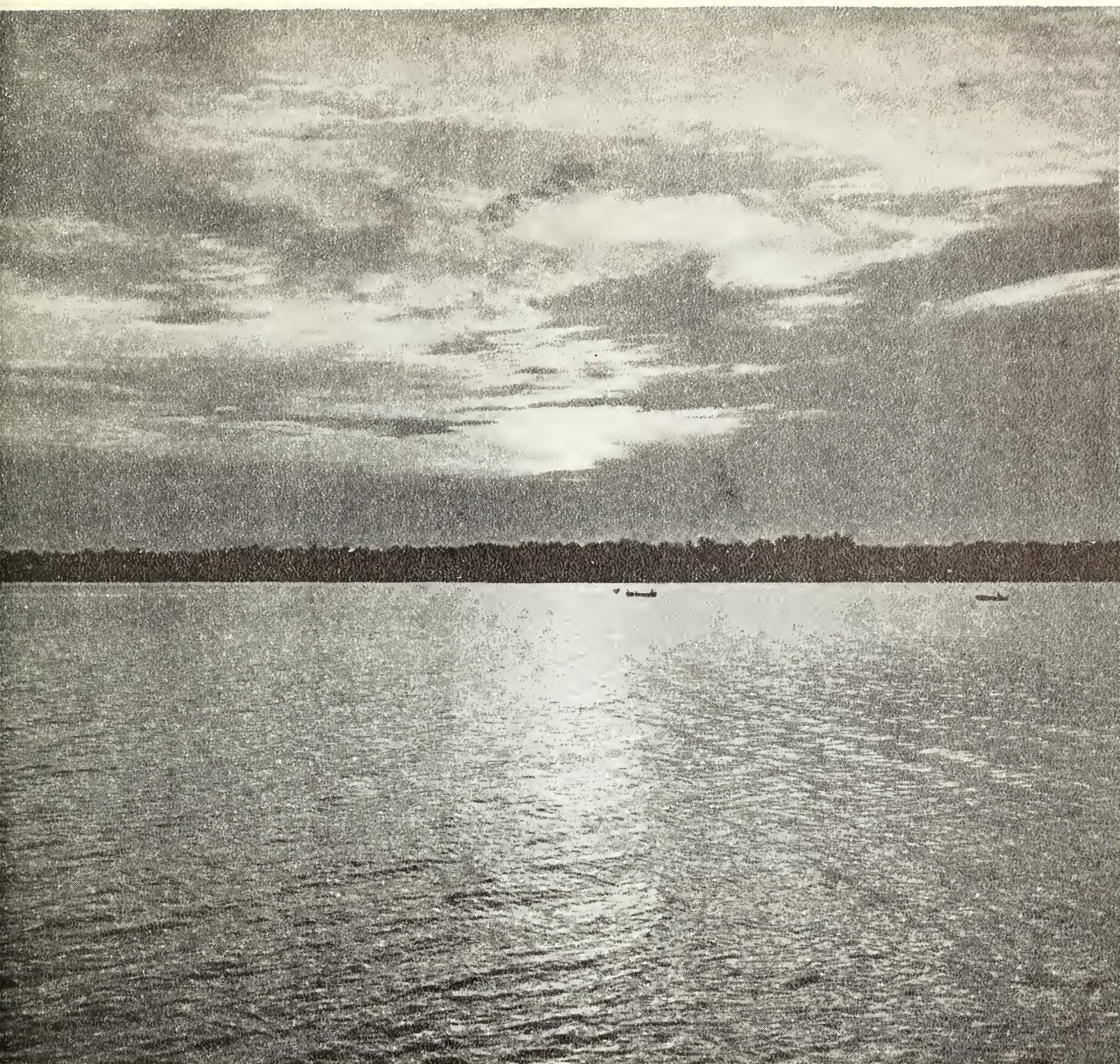
Mr. & Mrs. C. Morgan



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The College Alumni Association presents each year an award of fifty dollars each, to the two top students entering their final year. These have attained the highest department and scholastic standing, during their first two years of study. This year the awards were presented at the convocation service to graduating Liberators; Daniel Poirier of Montreal, and James Weller of Toronto.

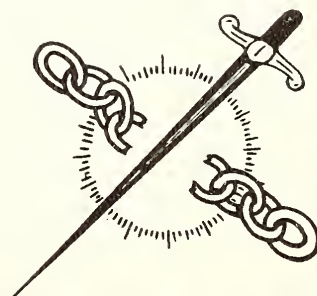
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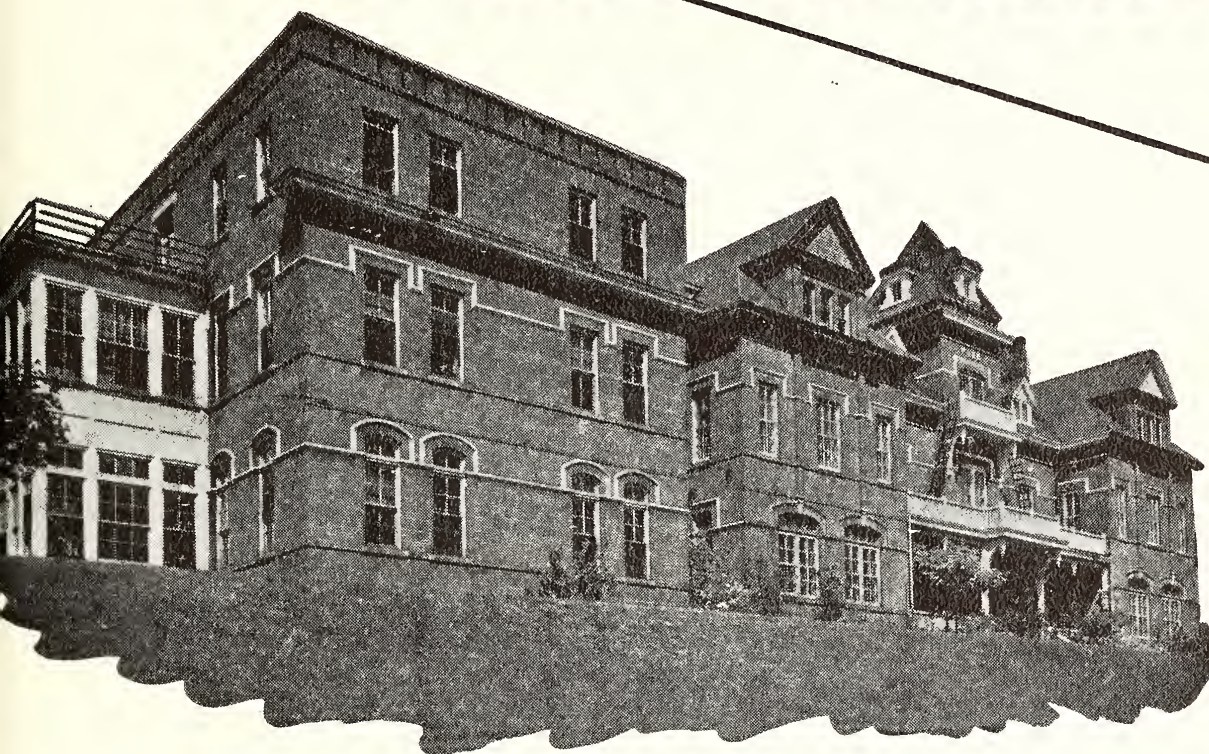
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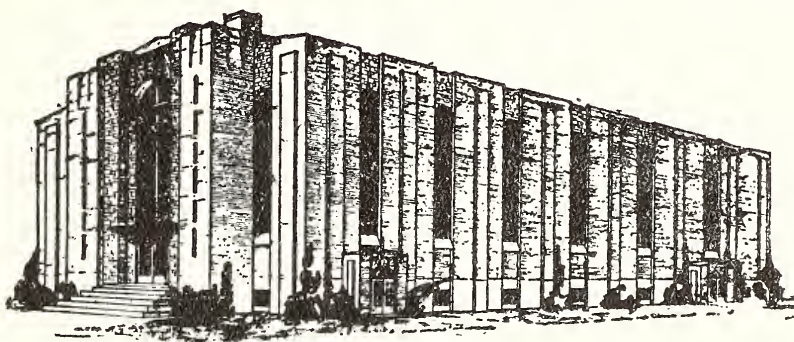
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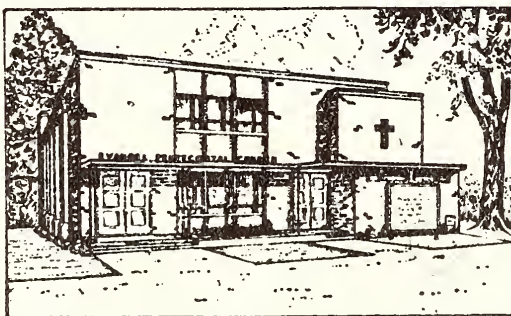
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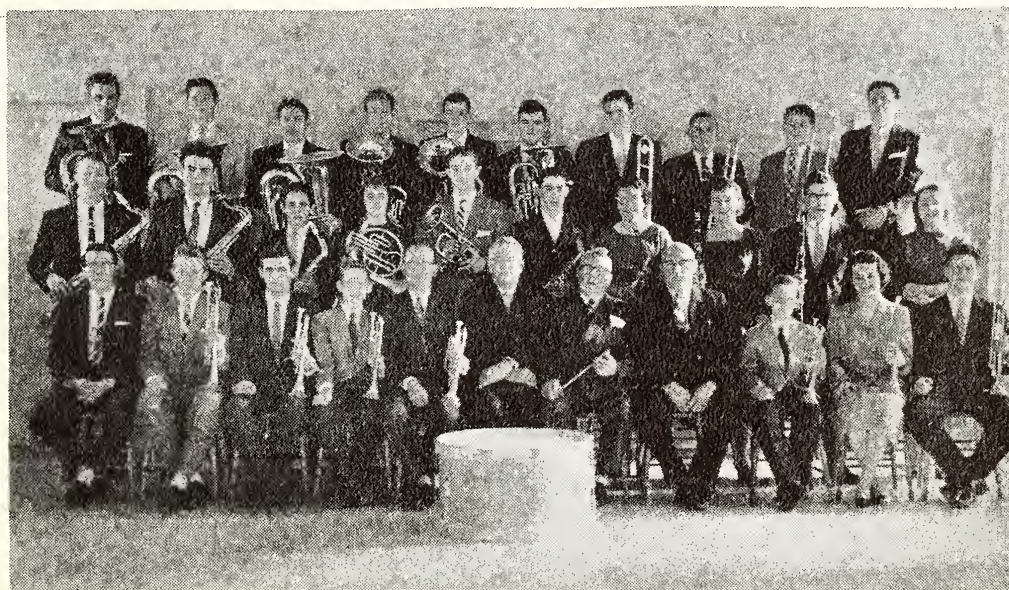
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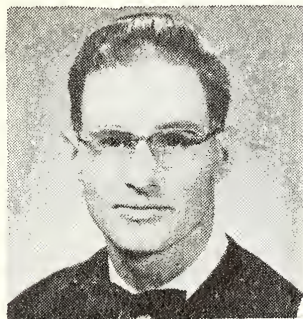
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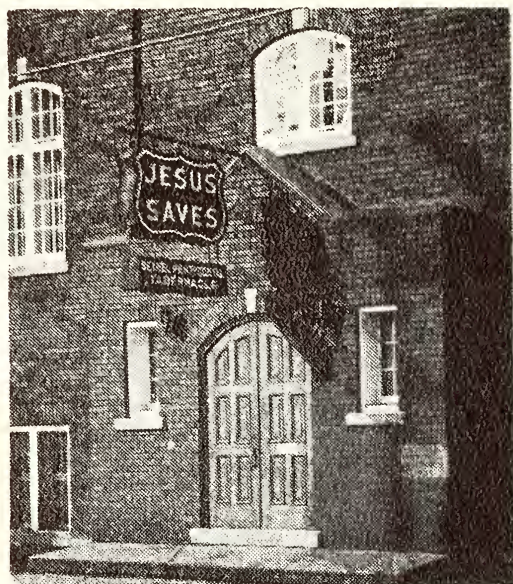
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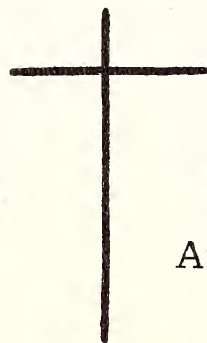
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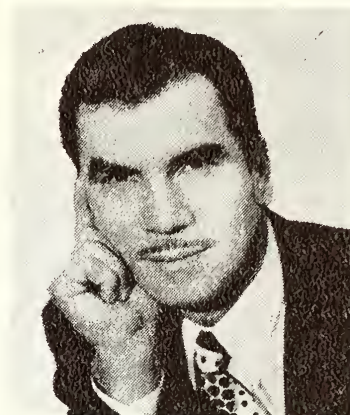
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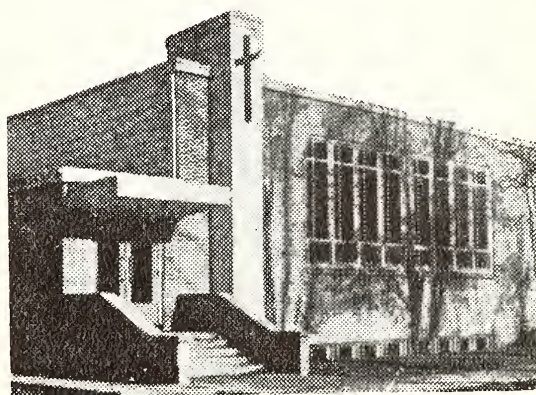
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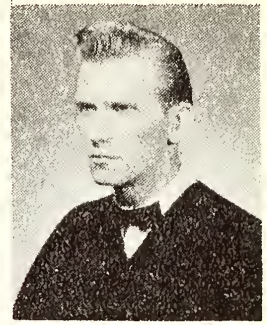
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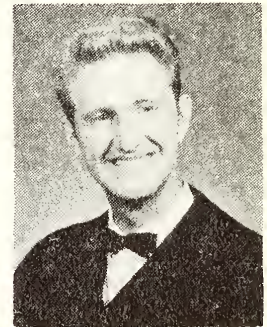
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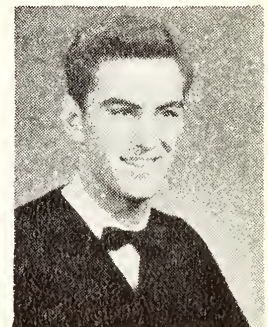
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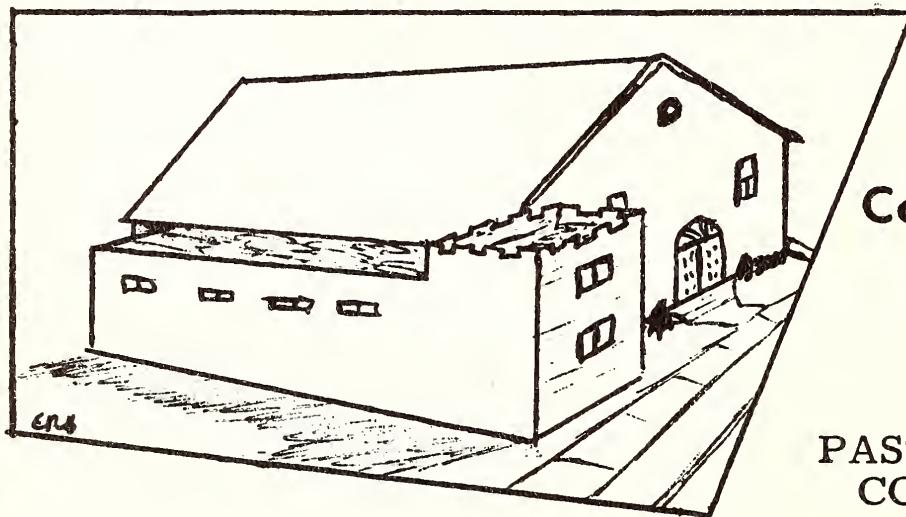
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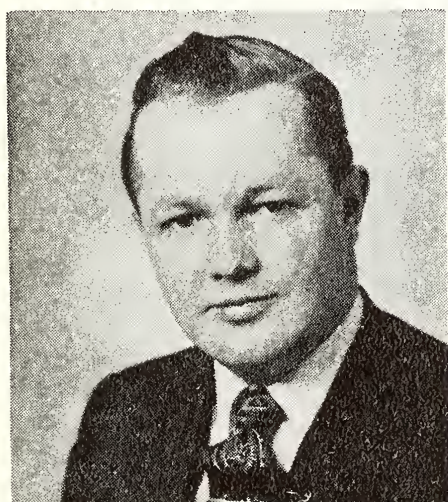
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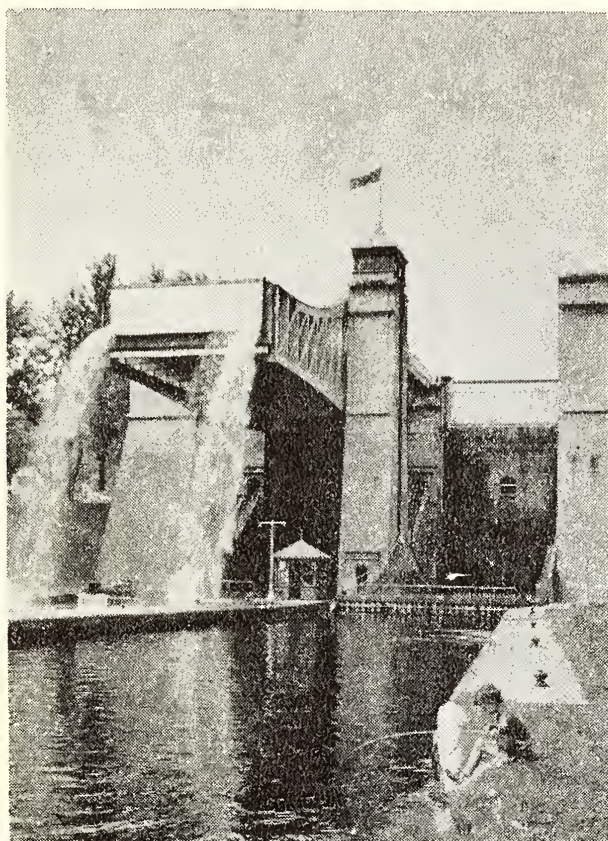
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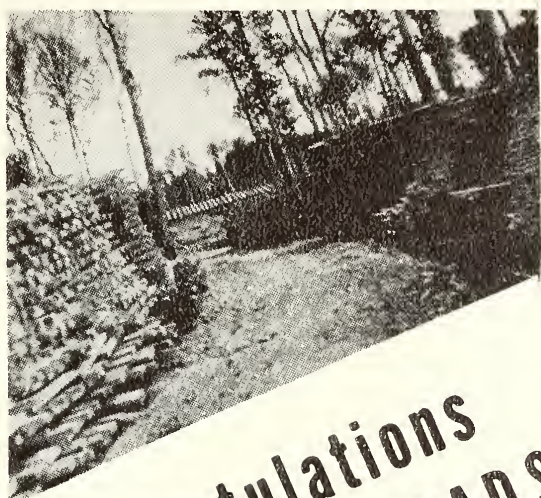
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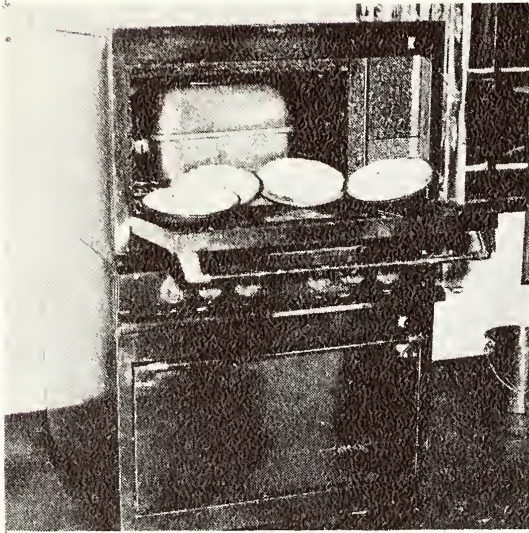
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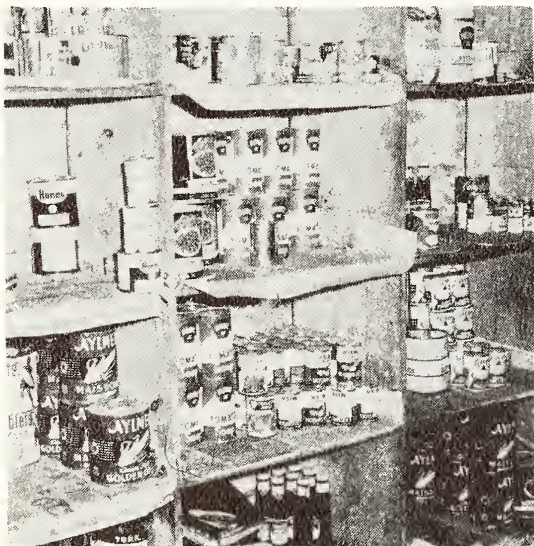
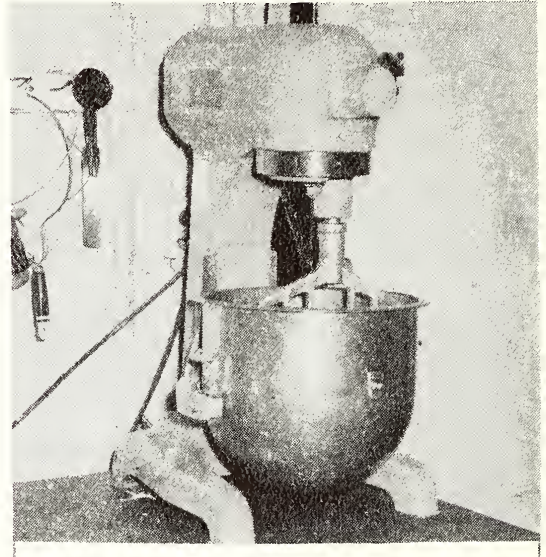
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